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JAPANESE CRISIS.

KELLOGG PACT DISSATIS-
FACTION.

Tokyo, June 29.
While it is impossible to ascer-
tain the exact degree of its serious-
ness, there seems little doubt that
a sudden Cabinet crisis has arisen.

The leading newspapers freely
assert that the Cabinet is tottering
and that the Minseito Party is
making preparations to succeed if
the Government falls.

Official circles are, however,
evasive, and profess no knowledge
as to how far the reports are true,
though they aver that current re-
ports are "probably exaggerated."

The crisis appears to centre
mainly around the proposed pub-
lication of a report of the results
of the Japanese Government's in-
vestigations into the Manchurian
incident of June, 1928, which re-
sulted in the death of Marshal
Chang Tso-lin.

The report exonerates Japan.
Nevertheless it censures certain
officers in the Japanese garrison in
Manchuria for agreeing to the tem-
porary replacement of Japanese
troops in the Japanese railway
zone by Chinese troops, on the
occasion of Chang Tso-lin's arrival
at Mukden, without first consult-
ing the Home Government.

Publication of this important re-
port was expected for to-day but
has been postponed indefinitely.
It is intimated that the post-
ponement is due to the attitude of
the Minister for War, General
Shirakawa, who strongly opposes
the proposed punishment of the
officers concerned.

Premier Seeks Advice.

From this it may be inferred
that the crisis in the Cabinet is
serious, as it is believed that the
Army approves of the stand made
by General Shirakawa; wherefore,
if he resigns, it will probably be
difficult for the Government to find
a successor as the War portfolio is
always held by a military officer.

The fact that Baron Tanaka
visited both Marquis Saionji and
Admiral Suzuki (the Grand Cham-
berlain), apparently for advice, is
considered as a further indication
that the situation is serious.

New Commander.

Later.
Lieut.-General Hata, Commander
of the First Division, has been
appointed Commander of the
Japanese Garrison in Kwangtung
Peninsula, South Manchuria, in
succession to Lieut.-General
Muraoka.—*Reuter.*

Exchange Down.

Tokyo, June 29.
Falling unexpected develop-
ments, the Cabinet is likely to
resign during the next few days.
It is stated in well informed circles
that the real basis of the trouble
is the dissatisfaction in very high
quarters over Baron Tanaka's
handling of the Manchurian
incident and the ratification of the
anti-War (Kellogg) Pact.

The *Hochi*, in a special edition,
says that the Premier personally
decided to resign, in connexion
with which an urgent Cabinet con-
ference will be called early next
week.

The uncertainty of the position
is reflected in the Specie Bank
lowering the rate of the Yen ex-
change by two points.

Orders for Punishment.

It is authoritatively learned that
although official confirmation is
withheld for the present, orders
have been issued for the punish-
ment of the following military
officers in connexion with "the
grave affair in Manchuria."

Colonel Kawamoto, Staff Officer
in the division composing the
Garrison in Manchuria in 1928.—
Suspension from duty.

Lieut.-General Saito, Chief of
Staff of the whole Garrison in
Manchuria in 1928.—Indefinite
disciplinary confinement to quar-
ters.

Major-General Mizumachi, Com-
mander of the Japanese garrison in
the South Manchuria Railway zone
in 1928.—Indefinite disciplinary
confinement to quarters.—*Reuter.*

Later.
It is learned from a source
which, apparently, is very reliable,

OBITUARY.

SUDDEN DEATH OF FORMER
MINISTER.

London, June 29.
The sudden death in a London
Hotel is reported of Sir Belby
Francis Alston.—*Reuter.*

Sir Belby Francis Alston had re-
turned home recently from Rio de
Janeiro on resigning his post owing
to ill health. He had been in the
diplomatic service for many years,
his first post being at Copenhagen
in 1886. Born in 1868, the son of
the late Sir Francis Alston, former-
ly of the Foreign Office, he was
educated privately and abroad. His
first position in the Government ser-
vice was that of a clerk in the
Foreign Office in 1890. Five
years later he was sent to Copen-
hagen as Acting 3rd Secretary. The
following year, on the occasion of
the holding of the Copyright Con-
ference in Paris, he was appointed
secretary to the British Plenipoten-
tiaries. In 1896 he made his first
visit to South America as Acting
2nd Secretary and Charge
d'Affaires at Buenos Aires. In
1898, 1901 and 1902 his services
were sought as Secretary to the
British representatives at the Sugar
Conference at Brussels. On the
occasion of the Coronation of Ed-
ward VII he was attached to the
foreign representatives. In 1909
he was attached to Prince Tsai
Shun on the occasion of his mission
to Britain, and in 1911 to Prince
Tsai Chen, the representative of the
Emperor of China at the Coronation
of King George V. He was in
attendance on Prince and Princess
Alexander of Teck at the Coronation
of King Vajiravudh of Siam in
1911. During 1911-1912 he was
Counsellor of H.M. Legation and
Charge d'Affaires at Peking 1913
and 1916-17. Other posts he held
in the Far East were Deputy High
Commissioner, Siberia, Minister
Plenipotentiary to Tokyo and Min-
ister Plenipotentiary to China
(1922). In 1923-25 he was Min-
ister to the Argentine Republic and
Paraguay, going from there to
Brazil. During his diplomatic ser-
vice he won the decorations of the
Grand Cross of the Double Dragon
of China and that of Commander
of the White Elephant of Siam.

that the Japanese Government is
resigning on July 2.—*Reuter.*

Saving Face.

Tokyo, June 30.
It is learned on high authority
that despite the War Minister's
apparent disapproval of the
punishment of the officers in con-
nexion with the Manchurian affair,
this involves no real deadlock, but
is used as a pretext to enable the
government to resign without the
loss of face.

The real reason lies not only in
the dissatisfaction in the highest
quarters over the mishandling both
of the Kellogg Pact and the Man-
churian incident, but also in the
mishandling of the question of the
lifting of the gold ban, and the
failure to carry out the main
domestic policy to which the
Government was pledged when it
took office.

It is likewise learned on seem-
ingly good authority that the Privy
Council is by no means satisfied
that the phraseology of the Anti-
War Pact is in harmony with the
spirit of the national constitution,
but ratification was finally
approved owing to the bad effect
refusal to approve would produce
internationally.—*Reuter.*

Business Men Enthusiastic.

Osaka, June 30.

The prospective resignation of
the Tanaka Cabinet is enthusias-
tically welcomed by business-
men and bankers because under
Tanaka they have abandoned all
hopes of better conditions, either
financially or diplomatically.

The business community hopes
that the new government will be
at least more constitutional and
enforce better discipline in the
administration, and improve rela-
tions with China and that it will
retrench government finances,
thus preparing the ground for the
raising of the gold embargo.—
Reuter.

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Washington, June 30.
The prediction of Mr. Clegg,
Secretary for the Treasury, that
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fiscal year ending year 1930
has been exceeded by nearly
100,000,000.

The Government began the year
with an estimated deficit of
100,000,000.

The finance prospects for the
fiscal year 1930 are bright, as
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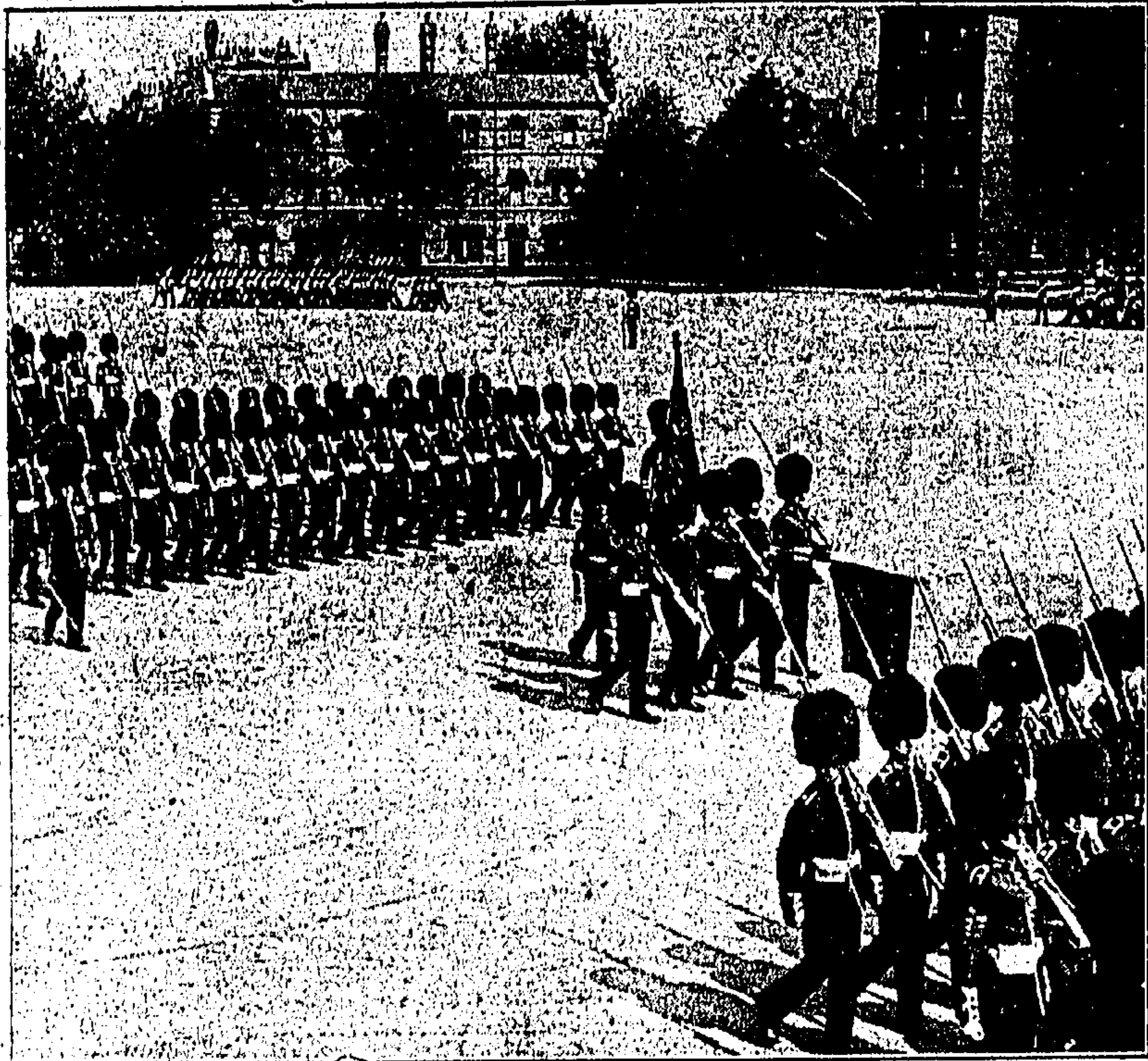
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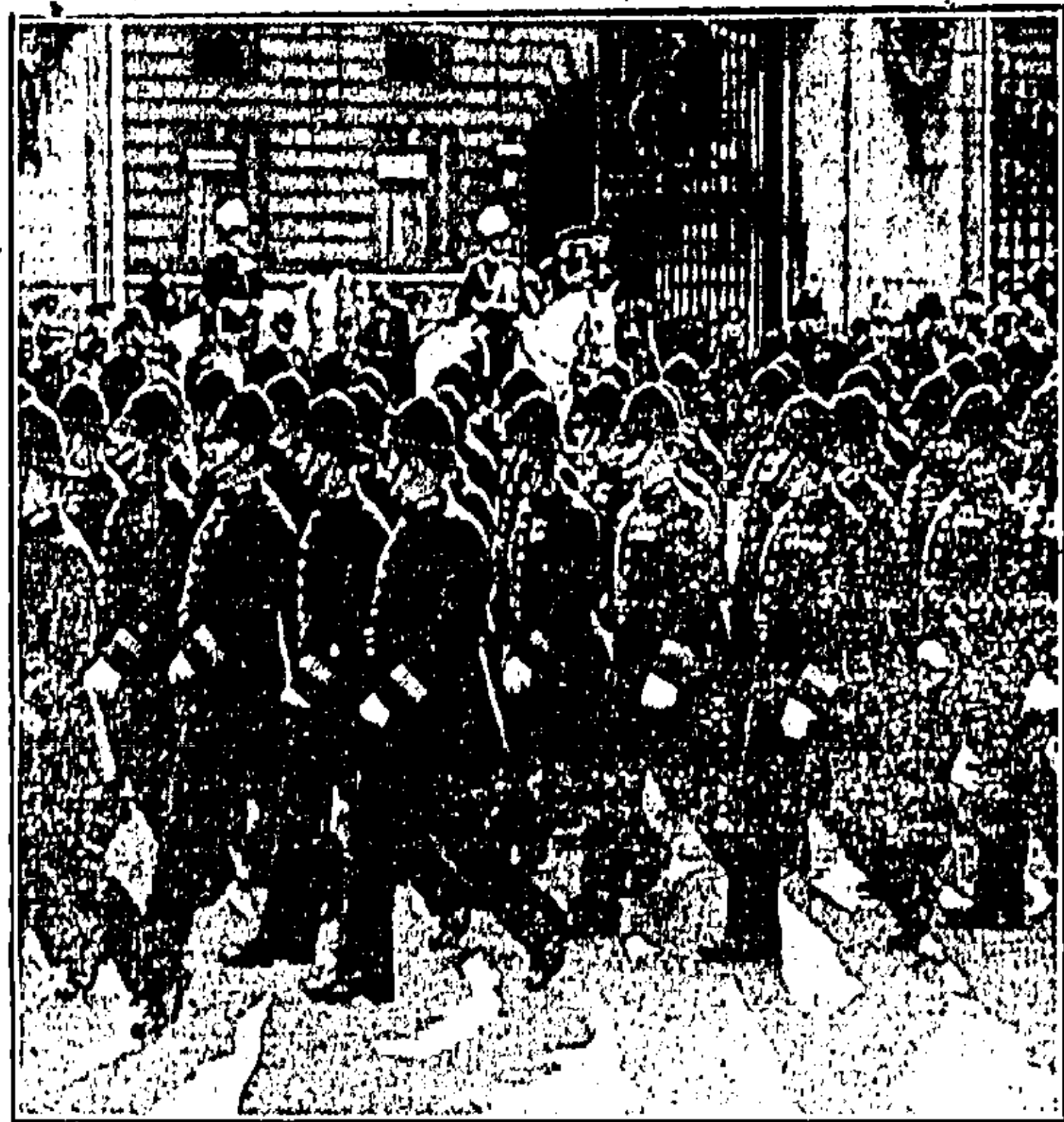




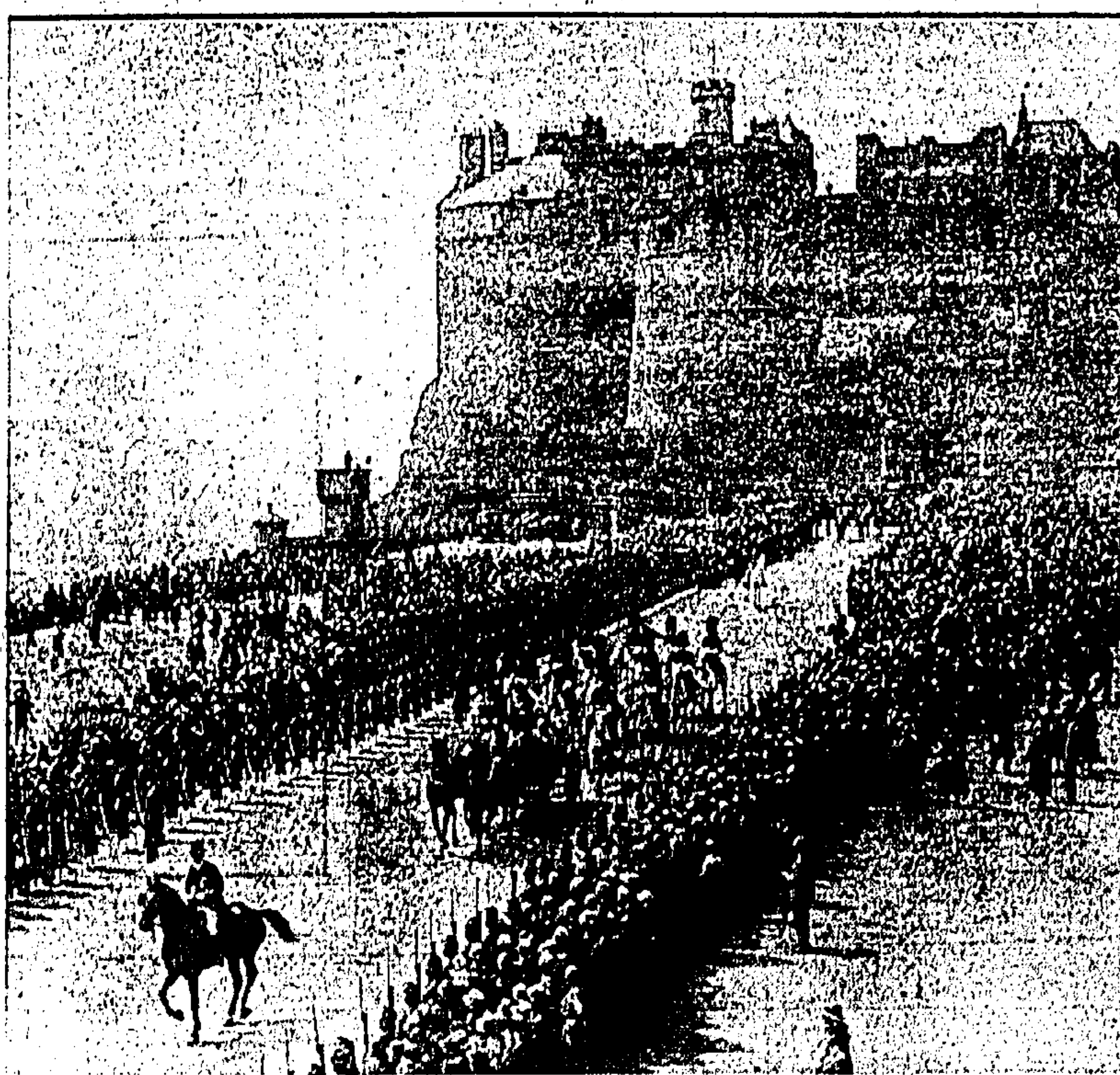
Field-Marshal Lord Mothuen taking the salute at the march past of the Scots Guards during his inspection at Chelsea Barracks to mark his 25 years as Colonel of the regiment. (Times copyright).



The King and Queen of Spain, with their daughters, arriving at the National Palace for the opening of the Barcelona Exhibition. The Royal party was greeted with immense enthusiasm by the crowds in the exhibition grounds. (Times copyright).



The centenary of the establishment of the Metropolitan Police Force was celebrated recently, and H.R.H. the Prince of Wales reviewed some ten thousand members of the Force in Hyde Park. Our picture shows the Prince taking the salute outside Buckingham Palace. It will be noticed that many of the men on parade wore War decorations. (Times copyright).



The Duke and Duchess of York took part in the civic celebration of the 600th anniversary of the granting of the charter to Edinburgh by King Robert the Bruce. Our photograph shows the Royal procession from the Castle after the Statue-unveiling ceremony. (Times copyright).



The historic Mill Race at University of Oregon was cold—cold also damp—this year, a few hundred freshmen learned. The freshmen lost the annual tug-of-war with the sophomores, and as the rope is stretched across the stream here's a bit of action toward the end of the tussle, with the freshman anchorman about to get wet.



The Duke of York present at the Scottish General Assembly in the Tolbooth Church, Edinburgh, which carried almost unanimously the proposal for union with the United Free Church. The Duchess is seen sitting on his left-hand side. (Times copyright).



Photo taken at the annual bowling dinner of the Shanghai Club held recently. Mr. J. R. Weeks (directly in front of the pins), chairman of the Bowling Sub-Committee, presided. On his right is Mr. R. G. MacDonald, Chairman of the Shanghai Club.

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T. H. KING,
Capt. Supt. of Police.
Hongkong, 28th June, 1929.

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HAROLD T. CREASY,
Water Authority,
Public Works Department.
Hongkong, 29th June, 1929.

NOTICE.

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INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Date
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai	Empress of Asia	July 1.
(Victoria, B.C., 19th June)		
U.S.A., Honolulu, (San Francisco, 7th June)	Pres. Jackson	July 1.
Shanghai and Amoy	General Metzing	July 1.
Japan and Shanghai	Porthos	July 2.
Saigon	Sirdhana	July 2.
Straits	St. Albans	July 2.
Amoy	Santana	July 2.
Europe via Suez, (letters and papers)		
London, 6th June, and parcels,		
9th May	Khyber	July 4.
Japan and Shanghai	Kashgar	July 5.
U.S.A., Canada, (Seattle, 15th June)		
Japan and Shanghai	Pros. Taft	July 5.
Australia and Manila	Ararua	July 8.
Shanghai	Sardapan	July 9.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Sam Shui and Wuchow	Kong Ning	Mon, July 1, 4 p.m.
Hai Phong	Ningpo	Tues, July 2, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues, July 2, 1 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Tacoma Maru	Tues, July 2, 1.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, and *Europe, via		
Siberia	Porthos	Tues, July 2, 1.30 p.m.
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi and		
Hai Phong	Tonkin	Tues, July 2, 1.30 p.m.
Saigon, *Straits, Ceylon, India,		
Mauritius, East and *South Africa,		
Aden, Egypt and Europe via		
Marseilles	General Metzing	Tues, July 2, 1 p.m.
	R. P. O.	
	Registration	1 p.m.
	Letters	1 p.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Registration	1.45 p.m.
	Letters	2.30 p.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 3rd August).	
Amoy	Chokiang	Tues, July 2, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Emp. of Asia	Tues, July 2, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jackson	Tues, July 2, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Kwong Sang	Wed, July 3, 3.30 a.m.
Swatow	Shantung	Wed, July 3, 12.30 p.m.
Amoy	Sirdhana	Wed, July 3, 6.00 p.m.
Straits	Cremier	Thurs, July 4, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hatching	Fri, July 5, 1 p.m.
Manila, Sandakan, Australia and		
New Zealand via Thursday Island	St. Albans	Fri, July 5, 1 p.m.
	Parcels	Noon
	Registration	1.45 p.m.
	Letters	2.30 p.m.
	(Due Thursday Island, 20th July.)	
Java and Batavia	Tjikembang	Sat, July 6, 1.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius,		
East and *South Africa, Aden,		
Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Kashgar	Sat, July 6, 1 p.m.
	K.P.O.	
	Parcels	July 6, 4.30 p.m.
	Registration	July 6, 9 a.m.
	Letters	10 a.m.
	G.P.O.	
	Parcels	July 6, 5 p.m.
	Registration	July 6, 8.45 a.m.
	Letters	10.30 a.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 4th August).	
Straits and Calcutta	Kum Sang	Tues, July 9, 1 p.m.
	Parcels	Noon
	Letters	1.00 p.m.

*Superscribed Correspondence only.

THE SECOND TEST
MATCH.ENGLAND DISMISSED
FOR 302.

The second Test match between England and the South African tourists opened at Lords on Saturday morning in ideal weather and on a good wicket.

An attendance of 6,000 spectators was present when Sutcliffe and Killick went out to face the South Africans, the ball being given to Oche.

Morkel bowled at the opposite end and met with early success. With the score standing at eight he scattered Killick's wickets after the batsman had collected three. Sutcliffe, Hammond filled the vacancy but did not stay long, falling a victim to Morkel, off whom he was caught by Christie when he had only made eight. His wicket fell with the score at 18, Sutcliffe in the meantime reaching seven.

Further disaster was yet to befall the English. O'Connor followed Hammond and returned to the pavilion without opening his account, the score remaining the same. It was left to Hendren to save the side from an utter debacle. He joined Sutcliffe and together the two gradually took the score past the century mark. At 111 the new batsman was beaten by Morkel, Hendren's contribution being an invaluable 48.

Valuable Partnerships.
Sutcliffe was batting steadily and when he had the misfortune to lose Hendren his score had been taken past the half century. Leyland came in next and added six by himself when the match was adjourned for lunch. The score was then 117 for four.

Another valuable partnership between Sutcliffe and Leyland made matters look brighter for the Home side, but when 199 runs had been scored Sutcliffe's innings came to an end. He hit one up into the hands of Mitchell off Bell. He had made exactly 100, Leyland then being 42. Tate helped to take the score to 248 before he was sent back to the pavilion. Leyland had made 71. Six runs later Robins was caught, he scoring four of these and Leyland two. The eighth wicket fell noon afterwards. Leyland leaving without further addition to his score. Lar-

wood the new batsman had made three.

Innings Closes.
Partnered by White, Larwood made something of a stand, but when he had collected 22 he lost his captain who returned with only eight to his credit. The total was then 287 for nine. The fast bowler and the wicket keeper took the score to 302, when Larwood was bowled by Bell after he had made 36.

Morkel, who was successful during the earlier part of the innings, took four wickets for 93 runs, but Bell did most of the damage during the latter stages. He captured six wickets for 99 runs.

Tourists Bat.
Catterall and Mitchell opened the innings for the tourists but lost a valuable wicket before either of the batsmen had scored. O'Connor being bowled by Larwood. Christie went in first wicket down and he was still with Mitchell when stumps were drawn, his share being 42 of a total of 67, while Mitchell had only scored 15.

The full results follow:
(England)—1st Innings.
H. Sutcliffe, c Mitchell, b Bell 100
E. T. Killick, b Morkel 8
W. R. Hammond, c Christie, b Morkel 9
J. O'Connor, b Morkel 0
E. Hendren, b Morkel 43
M. Leyland, b Bell 73
M. Tate, c Cameron, b Bell 15
R. W. V. Robins, c Mitchell, b Bell 45
H. Larwood, b Bell 85
J. C. White, b Bell 8
G. Duckworth, not out 8
Extras 5

Total 802
Runs at the fall of wickets: 1 for 8; 2 for 18; 3 for 18; 4 for 117; 5 for 129; 6 for 248; 7 for 249; 8 for 252; 9 for 287; 10 for 302.

Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
Oche 24 5 51 -
Morkel 31 6 93 4
Bell 30 4 7 59 6
Christie 6 2 20 1
MacMillan 1 0 1 1
Owen Smith 1 0 1 1
South Africa—1st Innings.
R. H. Catterall, b Larwood 0
B. Mitchell, not out 16
J. A. J. Christie, not out 42
Extras 0

Total (for 1 wkt.) 57
H. G. Doane, H. B. Cameron, D. Morkel, H. Owen Smith, A. L. Oche, E. L. Dalton, Q. MacMillan and A. J. Bell to bat.

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MR. FESSENDEN'S VISIT TO U.S.A.**FEDERATION OF STREET UNIONS INTERVENES.**

Shanghai, June 30. Following the departure of Mr. Fessenden, an interesting disclosure is that a letter was addressed to him by the Federation of Street Unions in which, after emphasizing the traditional friendship of the United States and China, the question of Mr. Fessenden's visit to Washington is raised.

"Some ventured to think that behind the ostensible reason for your furlough exists some other purpose, which has connection with questions raised at the last Ratepayers' meeting. We wish the contrary were true, but if the presumption be true, we wish you will remember the trade between the two countries and refrain from taking any step to jeopardize it. We earnestly hope that in your coming association with your fellow countrymen you will make no statement which can prove disadvantageous to China, and indirectly the United States."

"May we suggest, when in America, that you be kind enough not to make any comment on this country on the basis of your observation."—Our Own Correspondent.

LABOUR IN ASIA.**I.L.O. REPORT DISCUSSED AT TRADE UNION CONFERENCE.**

London, June 29. The report of the Director of the International Labour Office was discussed in the Conference of the International Federation of Trade Unions.

Mr. Joshi, the Indian Workers' Delegate, expressed the hope that the French would take steps to at least bring conditions in French possessions in India into line with British India.

He referred to the risk of "Moscow's" grand though unrealistic promises, proving more attractive to the world, particularly to eastern workers, than Geneva's slower evolutionary ideals. The results from the former would be calamitous, but Geneva would be unable to absolve herself from her share of the blame. Mr. Poulton, the British Workers' Delegate, supported Mr. Joshi's views and urged the pushing forward of Labour Office legislation in India, China and Japan.—*Reuter.*

LETTER GOLF.

To-day's puzzle sounds as if it might be LONG, but it's merely the VIEW you take of it. Far is only six.

L	O	N	G
V	I	E	W

1.—The idea of letter golf is to change one word to another and do it in par, a given number of strokes. Thus to change COW to HEN, in three strokes, COW, HOW, HEW, HEN.

2.—You can change only one letter at a time.

3.—You must have a complete word, of common usage, for each jump. Slang words and abbreviations don't count.

4.—The order of letters cannot be changed. One solution is printed on another page.

WOMAN'S WORLD**FOR OUR LADY READERS.**

The longer lines decreed by Paris couturiers are borne out above. (Left) An evening gown of creme moire, has touches of pink and pale green in the bouffant petal effect at the back. The corsage of velvet pansies has matching shades. (Right) Red and white plaid on a supple moire with unusual collar and cuffs of white organdie make up a dressy frock for afternoon.

Up-to-date Lingerie.**ALL MODES PREVAIL.**

Fascinating fabrics, charming colours, and simplicity of line characterise the latest lingerie modes, for lingerie is to stay simple, and the garments worn are reduced to the lowest number compatible with comfort.

Lingerie has captured materials which, hitherto, have been strictly "dress" fabrics—triple nylon, which has harder wearing qualities than one would imagine, georgette, crepe-de-chine for "best" wear; then for everyday wear there are washing satin, rayon, artificial silk milanese, and the wonderfully hard-wearing self-coloured and flowered voile.

There is, too, fine lawn, the finest of cambrics, and, for those who wish to avoid ironing, crepe-mine in all shades.

This season lace is used more than ever, though there is no suggestion that we shall return to the lace trimmed petticoats of yore. Embroidery is by no means demode, but it is rarely combined with lace, and "little and good" is the motto when embroidery is concerned.

Nightgowns Have Yokes.

The newest nightgowns are of flowered crepe-de-chine, or, less expensively, of flowered voile, a fabric that never goes out of favour. These are pin tucked on the shoulder, with rounded yoke, and shoulder "lie-ups."

Cambric-knickers have not ousted knickers from the realm of underwear. Knickers have a rather tailored look caused by the fine tucks which run from waistband to the leg portion. Some, for evening wear, have fitted yokes and

Presentiment.

Some day when you
And I have grown wise,
We will leave questioned,
Doubt and surmise.

We will forget
The puzzle of life,
The years of postponement,
The hours of fierce strife.

Learning at last
How vainly we've fought,
Will find in surrender
The peace that we sought.
THELMA COOMBS.

and in frills of lace or net. Others of washing silk have, at the knee, trimmed embroidered bands of georgette in self colour, and applique of needle run lace.

Cambric-knickers show the tendency to pay attention to the back of the garment, and a very new model had a bodice-shaped on slender lines, with attractive creu across the front, which was carried down to a V-shaped motif at the back. The flared skirt was edged with three dainty, not frills.

Pajamas are, rather severe in cut and style, relying on embroidery as decoration. Those of printed fabrics are finished with broad bindings of a plain material to tone.

Here masculine modes prevail, as few have the peg topped trousers with narrow ankle straps. A pretty delicate green pyjama suit had a double-breasted coat, three-quarter length, and trousers of good width; another was very similar to a French sailor's suit with a blouse-coat, finished off with a deep sailor collar and flowing bow.

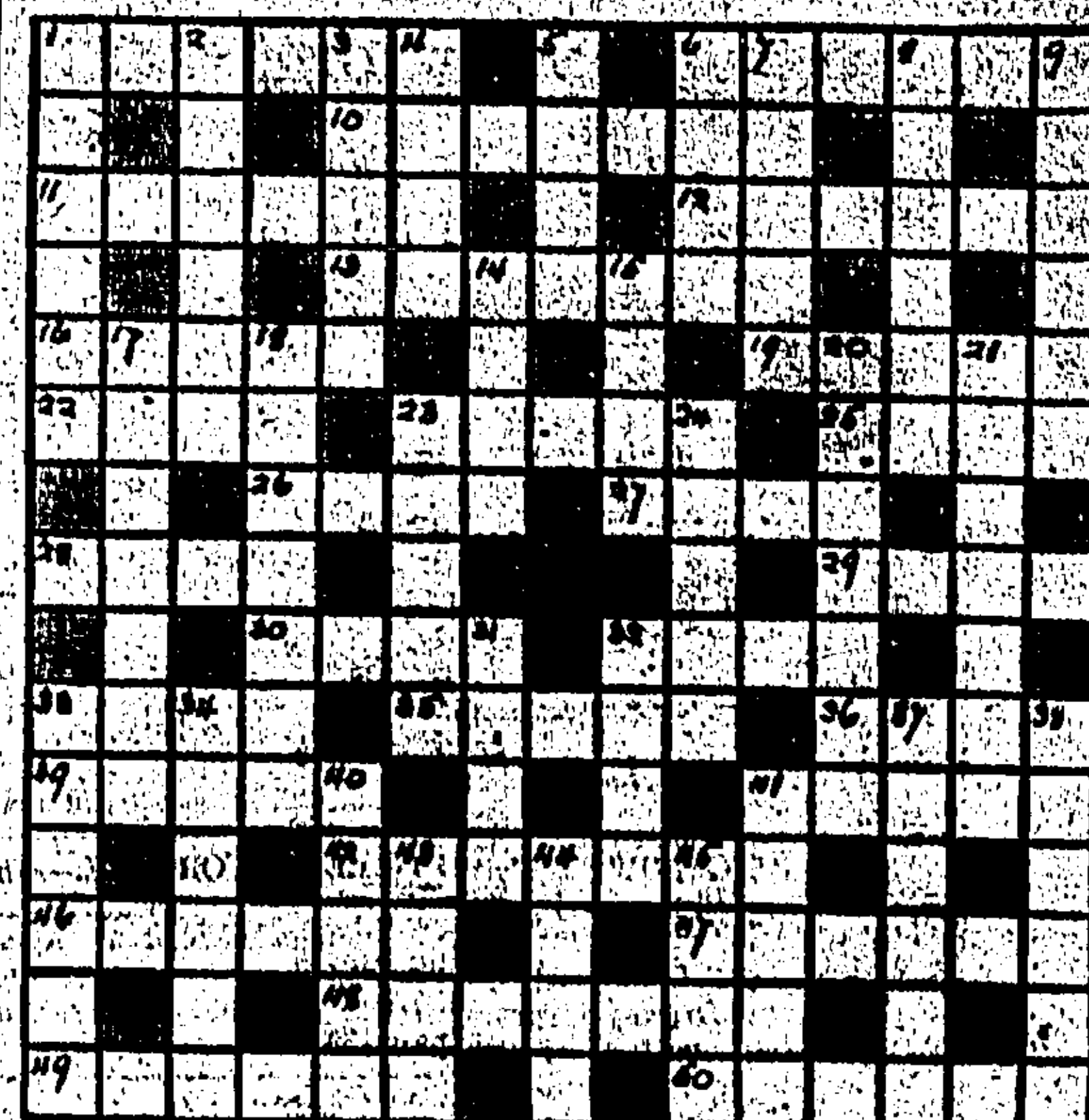
Guest Towels.**SEEN IN A GREAT VARIETY.**

The all-white towel is a rarity nowadays, and colour plays its part, either boldly, or, as in some of the best damask varieties, by a suggestion of pastel shades in the border. Even the humble roller towel has become quite pretty in its new gay guise, instead of the Cinderella-like stripes of red or blue with which it used to be decorated.

They might be called narrative towels, for purely conventional designs have given place to those which almost tell a story. A pattern which is strikingly original is called "The Crow's Nest." The border of this huckaback towel shows a running landscape design with the crows taking a prominent part, the complete design being carried out in black and white. This creates an original and pleasing departure from more usual colours. But if it is a little too revolutionary for your tastes, then the same towel may be had in all white.

Another original border shows a formal garden design. The crazy paving in the foreground leads up to a long walk of rectangular paving flanked with tall trees. This towel is made in fine Irish linen huckaback and a variety of colours. "Roman Gallon" provides a border of the dignified kind as its name very well implies the high prow, the oarsmen, the one-wind-filled sail and the streaming pennant at the masthead combining to make a most stately pattern.

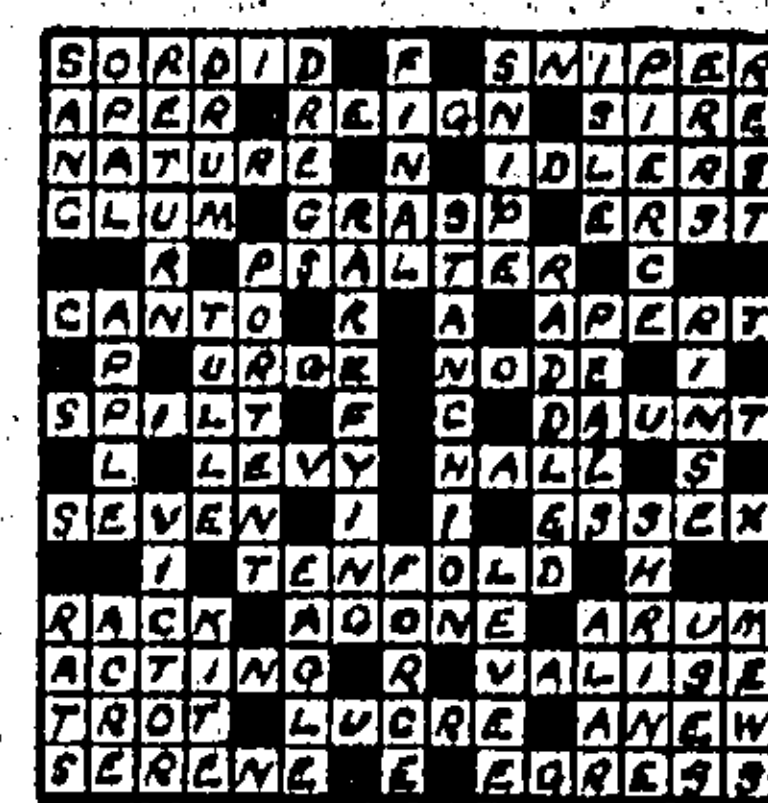
Art of the strictly modern persuasion is not despised, and for those who care for a riot of cubes and angles there are bordered towels in plenty.

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- 1 Beg.
- 6 Composition for seven.
- 10 Flattered.
- 11 Pendant ornament.
- 12 Sagaciousness.
- 13 Prevalent.
- 16 Increased in growth.
- 19 Charm.
- 22 Not one.
- 23 Relating to sound.
- 25 Entrance.
- 26 Among.
- 27 Gate.
- 28 Wall.
- 29 Influenced by fear.
- 30 Pain.
- 32 Pile.
- 33 Highest point.
- 35 Large piece of linen.
- 36 At first.
- 39 Lacerates.
- 41 Guide.
- 42 Tambourine.
- 46 Entangled.
- 47 Dream.
- 48 Affirmed.
- 49 Encompass.
- 50 Red chalk.

Down

- 1 Defame.
- 2 Calculate.
- 3 Austere.
- 4 Local position.
- 6 Related by blood.
- 6 Joined by stitches.
- 7 Prepares for publication.
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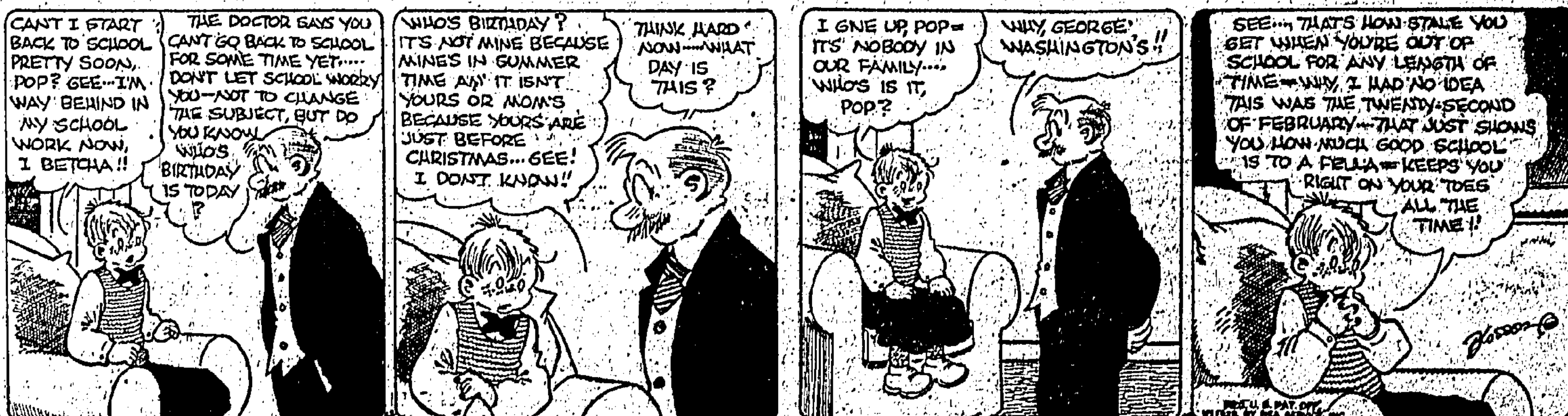
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ELECTRIFYING GREAT BRITAIN.

One of the most vital factors in industrial development is the proper application of electric power. Great Britain was perhaps the first country to realise this, but it did not take the same advantage of the fact as did some of its neighbours. In those countries where progress was most marked, success was largely achieved by a unity of plan and co-ordination of organisation which enabled them to supply electric power at low prices. In Great Britain, more haphazard methods were adopted. A multiplicity of small undertakings were allowed to grow up. In many instances these were quite efficient for their immediate purpose, but they failed to meet a later demand for the supply of high-power electricity at low costs over really large areas. Obviously such a state of things could not be allowed to continue, and in 1926 the Electricity Supply Act was passed by Parliament, and the General Electricity Board was appointed to reorganise the electricity industry on what might be termed its wholesale side. It was found that about 570 stations were producing electricity; and it was decided to reduce these to about 160, working on the best technical methods and using their plant to the best practical advantage. Under this scheme, the artificial division into water-tight compartments will disappear, so far as generation is concerned, and the whole country will be treated as a single unit.

Steps have already been taken to put these schemes into effect, and during the past two years great progress has been made. A report was recently issued by the Central Electricity Board on the work done during the period from the setting up of the Board in March, 1927, to the end of last year. Five schemes have been considered, and of these four had been adopted at the end of 1928, and the last was adopted in March of this year. They cover the following districts: Central Scotland, with an area of 4,980 square miles and a population (according to the last Census, in 1921) of 3,761,200; South-East England, with an area of 8,828 square miles and a population of 11,692,561; Central England with an area of 7,511 square miles and

a population of 5,218,146; North-West England and North Wales, with an area of 9,082 square miles and a population of 6,980,925; and Mid-East England, with an area of 7,456 square miles and a population of 4,629,880. This gives an area already planned out of 37,656 square miles, with a population of 31,882,712. The total area to be covered in Great Britain is 88,141 square miles, with a population of 42,769,196. It will thus be seen that the most populous areas have already been considered and schemes adopted.

Contracts for providing the interconnecting lines, or "grids," as they are called, have already been placed to the value of more than £8,500,000. Some of the work has indeed been completed, and in two places current is already passing over sections of grids. When the whole scheme is complete, there will be 3,000 miles of overhead lines, carried on large towers of steel lattice work. The average height of the towers will be from seventy to eighty feet, and sixteen standard types have been decided upon. Roughly there will be six towers per mile. Great efforts have been made to meet the representations of societies and local authorities interested in preserving the amenities and beauties of the countryside, and with this end in view Sir Reginald Blomfield, R.A., was consulted with regard to the design of the towers for the primary lines. The work has started well and it is proceeding satisfactorily. Its beneficial effects will be many and far-reaching. As an aid to industry the importance of the scheme can scarcely be over-estimated. The initial outlay will be of course heavy, but it promises excellent results, and the whole country is bound to benefit largely from it when the whole system is in operation.

Home Politics.

The next week or fortnight will be of the deepest importance to British politics. The new Parliament assembles formally tomorrow for the first time, and it should soon be possible to judge, within certain limits, the expectations of life of the new Labour administration. So far the prospects are good. There will be warmth of controversy, the state of the parties is such that all issues will be subject to the closest scrutiny, but there are signs that mere wrangling will not exhibit itself to any great extent. The attitude of the Liberals is, of course, of the greatest moment. Mr. Lloyd George has not indicated with crystal clearness his intentions, and it seems most probable that the Liberal watchword will be "benevolent neutrality." The tone of the Liberal Press following the announcement of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald's Ministry was distinctly encouraging, and a pursuance of the policy already outlined will guarantee for Labour a large measure of Liberal support without solicitation. There is even a possibility that the Conservatives will not be in full strength in opposition. The progressives of the Party are frankly critical of Mr. Baldwin's Safety First tactics, and may be expected to refuse to maintain a vendetta against Labour at the whim of the Party whips. Meanwhile Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has gathered round him an extremely powerful team, which will be less easy to move than that of 1924. Labour's immediate ideals of "work to our people and peace to the world" must find ready endorsement on all sides of the House, if an example of reason and proportion is set, and in this connection we take heart from Mr. Baldwin's recent pronouncements that democracy is on trial, and more than ever dependent on the events within the four walls of the Houses of Parliament.

We have received the June number of the *Yellow Dragon*, the school organ of Queen's College. Besides a generous quantity of other reading matter, it contains another instalment of "The Flowering Plants of Hongkong" by "A.H.C."

DAY BY DAY.

THE OLD ADAM IN A MAN HATES WITH A VERY VEHEMENT AND NATURAL HATRED THE MAN WHO WRONGS HIM. IT IS CURIOUS THAT HE HATES EQUALLY, IF NOT EVEN MORE BITTERLY, THE MAN HE WRONGS.—John Oxenham.

LT. COMM'DR. WARPER OF H.M.S. TAMAR is retiring from the Service.

Visiting Hongkong at present is Mr. Ramon Torres, managing editor of *El Debate*, of Manila.

Mr. John David Humphreys has been admitted a partner in the firm of Messrs. John D. Humphreys & Son.

Mr. H. M. Cavender, General Agent of the Dollar Steamship Line at Manila, is at present here on a business visit.

Capt. J. W. Bundred, of Messrs. Goddard and Douglas, who has been on a trip to Australia, returned here by the s.s. *President Pierce*.

It is advertised that the American Community of Hongkong will be at Home to their friends on July 4, from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the American Club, Duddell Street.

A number of letters on the Lee Garden Street water fountain controversy have reached us, but we cannot permit the use of our columns for the airing of personalities.

A mason's hand was taken to the Kowloon Hospital yesterday following upon injuries he received through falling from the scaffolding of a house under construction at Cheungshawan.

Mr. F. M. Hazeland of No. 3, Bowen Road reported the loss of money and jewellery to the total value of \$120 from his room some time between 10 p.m. on Friday and 6 a.m. on Saturday.

Mrs. W. D. MacDougall, wife of Admiral MacDougall, U.S.N., is passing through on the s.s. *President Pierce* en route to Japan. She is accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. H. de Kauffmann.

During a brawl between two Indians at Whitfield Barracks, one is alleged to have been struck by the other on the head, necessitating the latter going into hospital. The alleged assailant is a sepooy.

A bag of sugar became displaced during loading operations at the Salkong Wharf on Saturday, and fell on a lighter hand, who was struck in the stomach. The man was removed to the Government Civil Hospital.

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Victoria will be absent from the Colony during the months of July and August. He has appointed the Very Rev. the Dean to act as his Commissary for English work and the Ven. Archdeacon Mok of Canton as Commissary for Chinese work. All communications should be addressed to the Diocesan Chaplain, Bishop's House.

BRITISH PROPAGANDA IN AMERICA.

NAVAL CAPTAIN'S STRANGE ALLEGATION.

Washington, June 4. A strange article in an American Naval magazine by Captain Dudley Knox accuses British propagandists of working through the Churches and various peace organisations to bring about the defeat of plans for an adequate American Navy.

The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ, which represents about 30,000,000 of the various Protestant denominations, is said to be the worst offender.

Captain Knox "clearly indicated that large sums of money are being spent by many powerful organisations, in which foreigners play an important role, to propagandise the country through the Press, the Church, the State, the movies, the schools, the colleges, and the lecture platform."

"Their declared object," he adds, "is the promotion of international good will and peace by controlling the United States Government through the control of American public opinion."

Department and Cruisers. The "Big Navy" party evidently dislike Mr. Hoover's speech and the interpretation that the cruiser programme may be curtailed if other Powers indicate willingness to join in disarmament. The Naval Department issues a statement that it is going ahead in a normal way with the programme. The only reason that the five ships for this year have not yet been laid is due to the fact that the yards are not ready.

POLICE RESERVE.

ORDERS FOR THE CURRENT WEEK.

Police Reserve Orders by Hon. Mr. T. A. King, Acting Captain Superintendent of Police, state:

Chinese Company.

Strength.—Constable R38 Chan Ping Fai has been taken on the strength of the Chinese Company as from June 26th.

Squad Drill.—All recruits of the Chinese Company will attend at the Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, July 2nd, at 5.30 p.m. sharp for squad drill under 1/Sergeant R43 Tajo Chi On. Dress—Muffi.

Indian Company.

Squad Drill.—All recruits of the Indian Company will attend at Central Police Station on Tuesday, July 2nd, at 5.30 p.m. sharp for squad drill under Sergeant Condon. Dress—Muffi.

Parade.—All ranks of the Indian Company will parade at Police Headquarters on Tuesday, July 9th, for drill under Sergeant Condon. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress—White Uniform, belt and cap with white cover. No member may be absent from this parade without leave from the Company Commander.

Flying Squad.

Strength.—Constable R348 E. Campbell has been taken on the strength of the Flying Squad as from June 28th, and posted to the Kowloon Section.

The fortnightly patrol of the Hongkong Section will take place on Thursday, July 4th. Fall in at the Central Police Station at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Dress—Khaki Uniform.

The next fortnightly patrol of the Kowloon Section will take place on Tuesday, July 9th. Fall in at the Tsim-tai-tai Fire Brigade Station at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress—Khaki Uniform.

Sharpshooters' Company.

Revolver Practice.—Members of this Company are reminded of the revolver practice to be held on Sunday, July 7th, at 10.00 a.m., for details, see last week's orders.

(Sgd.) W. KENT, A.S.P.

Adjutant.

BRIDGE MADE EASY by W.W. Wentworth

Double and Redouble—3.

When your partner doubles informatively opponents' no trump or suit bid of one, you must make a declaration. To remain silent, no matter how weak your hand may be, is seldom justifiable. The weaker your hand, the greater the necessity of making a declaration. Your partner may at times place you in an uncomfortable position but that is not your fault. The responsibility of making an unwarranted double is upon your partner. Place your trust in your partner and bid.

When your partner makes an informatory double you should respond giving preference in the following order:

(1) The longest and strongest of either major containing any four or more cards.

(2) Any major containing four cards in preference to a stronger minor.

(3) The longest and strongest minor.

Applying the foregoing principles, assume that your partner doubles opponents' bid, and you hold each of the following hands. Your procedure should then be as follows:

(1) Spades—J X X X; hearts—X X X; diamonds—X X X; clubs—X X X. One spade.

(2) Spades—X X; hearts—X X X; diamonds—X X X; clubs—A K Q X X. One heart.

(3) Spades—Q X X X; hearts—K J X X X; diamonds—X X X; clubs—X X X. One heart.

(4) Spades—A J X; hearts—K X X; diamonds—A Q X; clubs—J X X X. No trump.

(5) Spades—X X X; hearts—X X; diamonds—K J X X X; clubs—X X X. No trump.

(6) Spades—X X X; hearts—X X; diamonds—X X X X; clubs—J X X X. Two clubs. Never bid a three card suit.

The Very Idea!

Sir Hugh P. Allen, Director of the Royal College of Music, recently described vibrato as a singing "disease" that was spreading over the whole country. He was adjudicating on the open contraalto class at the Wharfedale musical festival at Ilkley.

"I have become a member of a society which is called the Anti-Vibrato Society," he continued. "I would strongly urge all of you who are not singers to subscribe to that society: as liberally as you can, for the sake of preventing other people from becoming afflicted."

"It is the worst disease singers have ever come across. It is as dangerous and unpleasant as the palsy. I regard vibrato as a good servant but a bad master."

Distracted Wife (at bedside of sick husband)—Is there no hope, doctor?

Doctor—I don't know. What were you hoping for?

Witness at Bromley (Kent) County Court, taking the oath: I swear by Almighty God, the only chance I shall get to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

Constable at Tottenham giving evidence against a reveller: He had a bottle of beer in each hand and was shouting, "Don't they look nice!"

She dresses like a lady, but that is where it ends—A landlady speaking of her tenant at Bow County Court.

Thus an American paper:—Silence! Plenty of it! John Argens, cartoonist, and Bruce Bowring, artist of the *San Francisco News*, both were swinging paint brushes.

More silence! Cigarettes scattered on the desks of both men. Finally Bruce looked up and asked:

"Gotta match, John?"

"No. But I've gotta lighter."

"Aw who the hell can pick his teeth with a lighter?"

The class had been given a talk on "fairies, and afterwards the mistress asked: "What is a gnome?"

One bright-eyed little girl answered: "Please, Miss, an 'ouse."

(There never is any polite language just after a collision, said a motorist at Shoreham recently.)

I am anxious to address you in a gentlemanly way.

To observe the rules of etiquette and taste;

"Would disturb my equanimity if anyone should say."

That my words betokened ill-considered haste.

But you really must permit me, when the hazard of the road

Sends your mudguard through my windscreen with a crash,

To abandon, for a little while, the rigours of my code

And allow myself a momentary "Dash!"

Magistrate! And you had words with your wife about it?

Defendant: "No, sir. Not with or from her."

A clergyman of Guildford, Surrey, who conducts a service for children on Sunday afternoons, has given notice that he will in future allow five-minute intervals for "wriggling."

ALLEGED SMUGGLING CHINESE.

FIRST OFFICER OF MOTOR VESSEL ARRESTED.

San Francisco, June 22.

John DeVisser, first officer of the motorship *Mojokerto*, was arrested by San Francisco federal operatives to-day and will be tried in a federal court on a charge of conspiring illegally to import Chinese.

The Government alleged that DeVisser had been regularly taking aboard the *Mojokerto*, each time he visited China, a dozen or more Chinese seamen above the number allowed.

Upon arrival at San Francisco, the extra seamen would obtain shore leave and disappear into the by-ways of the bay city's famous Chinatown. Since they were not listed on the ship's register, their failure to return would not be observed by port clearance officers.

It is believed by Government authorities that DeVisser had worked up a regular traffic along this line, at considerable personal profit to himself.

TRAFFIC IN HUMAN BEINGS.

WOMEN & CHILDREN BEING SOLD AS SLAVES.

FAMINE ZONE TALES.

Fengchen, June 14. Conditions in these parts seem to be getting worse instead of better. There have been one or two short showers of rain, but not enough to do any good. It seems as if there will be another dry season again. Whatever will happen to the poor people no one seems to know.

In Ping Ti Chuan, Kuei Huan, Sarat, and Paotow, the poor people are being fed by the thousands, and should this help cease many of the people would die of starvation.

Trains Crowded With Victims.

The sad part is the wholesale selling of women and children. One has only to board a train at Paotow, Sarat, Kuei Huan, to see evidence of this, and in the trains many of the women and children travelling have been sold. Coming on the train only three days ago the writer was in a carriage with many women and children who have been sold. One young woman had been crying very bitterly and on being asked the cause she said her husband had sold her and she had to part from her four year old boy. On being asked where she was going she did not know, all she knew she was sold.

Another young woman about 17 also looked very frightened, and on asking her who had bought her, she pointed to an evil looking man, well dressed, but one could imagine his calling was dealing in human souls. She said "He gave \$200 for me." She told us that many of the women and girls she knew had been sold and taken away.

Sold For \$20.

One little girl attracted the writer's attention, she was about five years old. She cried nearly all the way for hours and would not be comforted, evidently she had been parted from her mother. The man who had bought her, seemed indifferent to her and did not try to comfort her but cruelly remarked, to a man sitting near him "Listen to that thing crying; I gave \$20 for her."

It just makes one's heart ache to surmise what these women and children are being sold for. A good price seems to be paid for them, the older girls fetching \$200 and upwards.

An Appeal To Women.

It is about time the women of China rose up against this kind of thing. The Central Government talk about equal rights for men and women, then why are people in these far parts allowed to buy and sell women and children, just like cattle? It's about time some able Chinese women got power and made a law to stop this kind of thing. Punishment by death would be a good thing. Let the women of China wake up and put a stop to this dreadful slavery.

The people in these parts seem to have lost heart and many thousands would have died, had it not been for the help the foreigners have given.—Shanghai Times.

FIRE AT THE TOWER.

GRENADE GUARDS CALLED OUT BY BUGLER.

London, June 4. The spectacle of flames and smoke issuing from the roof of one of the buildings of the Tower of London engrossed the attention yesterday evening of a considerable number of spectators who assembled on the northern approach to Tower Bridge.

The fire was discovered by a son of the barrack warden, who saw flames and smoke coming from the top storey of the mobilisation stores, which contains machine guns, rifles, blankets, etc., but no ammunition. He at once gave the alarm by breaking the glass of a fire alarm post.

A bugler sounded the "Fire Alarm" and in accordance with custom, the battalion of Grenadier Guards stationed at the Tower immediately paraded in the Tower-square, and the guard with arms, turned out.

A district call was circulated by the Fire Brigade and about a dozen fire engines and other appliances quickly arrived.

The building runs parallel with the adjoining bridge approach, and in order to deal with the fire, effectively portions of the slate roof near two of the projecting windows were broken away.

The fire was put out in about half an hour.

The last fire at the Tower occurred on March 18, 1928, when a room at the top of the Lantern Tower, on the Rufus Wall, was involved.

SOUTH CHINA BATHING PAVILION.

H.E. ON CHINESE PROWESS IN SPORT.

The newly constructed semi-permanent bathing pavilion built by the South China Athletic Association at Quarry Bay was formally opened by Lady Clementi, wife of His Excellency the Governor of Hongkong, on Saturday afternoon in the presence of a large and distinguished gathering of local residents.

On arrival at the new pavilion, which was gallantly decorated for the occasion, His Excellency and Lady Clementi, accompanied by Capt. Sillitoe (A.D.C.) were met by the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kowall and Mr. O. W. Luke (Chairman of the S.C.A.A.). After the company of Boy Scouts, drawn up on each side of the entrance, had been inspected, Mr. Li Yau-tsun, who had been in charge of the pair of scissors with which she cut the tricolor ribbon which was suspended across the doorway.

With a gold key Lady Clementi then unlocked the door and the gathering made a tour of inspection of the premises. Mr. Li Yau-tsun asked Lady Clementi to retain the gold key and the pair of scissors as mementoes of the occasion. Remarking that it was to prevent the pair of scissors cutting off a friendship which she valued, Lady Clementi gave Mr. Li Yau-tsun a token piece.

Association's Activities.

After the visitors had been shown round the building, Mr. Li Yau-tsun extended a most hearty and cordial welcome to the visitors, whom he thanked for their presence. He briefly reviewed the activities of the Association, mentioning that it was in 1916 that it was first formed with a membership of about 30 who indulged in only one game of sport, namely football. He said that since then the activities of the Association had increased and outdoor recreation was organised on a more elaborate scale. In addition to football, the Association had promoted baseball, basketball, volleyball, tennis, Chinese boxing, ping-pong, billiards, track and field contests and swimming.

Swimming was formerly indulged in by the members once a week, but recently the Chinese had taken a keener interest in this pastime. In 1928 the Government allotted a piece of foreshore at Quarry Bay to the Association for the erection of a bathing machine. This shed was completely destroyed by a typhoon in 1927 and the committee then decided to erect a more substantial structure.

Through their untiring efforts, particularly of the late Mr. Lee Hsuan, who was then president, the present site was allocated by the Government. The present building, said Mr. Li, was the only one in the Colony erected on such a valuable piece of land.

In conclusion Mr. Li expressed the Association's gratitude to His Excellency and Lady Clementi for graciously consenting to be present and to perform the opening ceremony.

Governor's Reply.

In reply His Excellency the Governor said: My wife asks me to tell you with what pleasure she has come here to-day, in order to open this fine bathing pavilion of the South China Athletic Association. May I add that it has given me, also, very great pleasure to accompany her on this occasion? Both of us think that there is no better pastime in the Hongkong summer than sea-bathing. It is a healthy recreation for men, women and children, and each of us can make it as strenuous or as mild as we please, while at the end of our exertions, instead of streaming with perspiration, as we should after almost any other form of recreation during a tropical summer, we leave the water very much refreshed and cooler than we entered it.

Water Shortage.

Of course, just at the present time it may be regarded as our civic duty to perform our ablutions in the sea, rather than in the water drawn from our reservoirs or brought laboriously from the mainland, the delta of the West River, or even from regions more remote. The greater the number of those among us who take a daily swim in the harbour, the less reservoir water is consumed and the better, therefore, for the whole community. From this point of view I am certain that no one is better pleased at the opening of this bathing pavilion than the Hongkong Water Authority.

The Association.

The growth and activities of the South China Athletic Association fill me with admiration. This Association did not exist when I served in Hongkong as a young man; but it came into being about fourteen years ago, when the Chinese Renaissance began. It had at first, as Mr. Li Yau-tsun tells us, no more than thirty members. This membership has now increased to some four thousand, and there are few forms of sport with which the Association has not identified itself. In addition to swimming, football, baseball, volleyball, basketball, tennis, boxing, ping-pong, racing, and billiards are all among its activities. I feel that this interest in athletics is of the utmost benefit to the Chinese community of this Colony. The Hongkong Government has been glad to provide this site for the Association's bathing pavilion. The structure now erected is a vast improvement on the makeshift which preceded it and will, I hope, be only the first of many other bathing pavilions hereafter to be erected, both in Hongkong Island and on the mainland. I wish the South China Athletic Association every success. (Applauds.)

JAPANESE LABOUR.

NEW FACTORY LAW GOING INTO FORCE.

Osaka, June 30. The factory law prohibiting night work from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. for all females and youths under 16 years of age is to be enforced in the cotton mills on July 1.—Reuter.

New York, June 29.

Captain Frank Hawkes flew here, on his return flight, from Los Angeles, in 17 hours 39 minutes flying time.—Reuter's American Service.

A Beautiful Place.

Lady Clementi, in a brief speech, said that she was truly pleased to be present and it was an honour to her to have been asked to perform the opening ceremony so shortly after her return to the Colony. She said that during her travels she had not seen a place half so beautiful as Hongkong and she must congratulate the S.C.A.A. on having this beautiful bathing pavilion in such pretty surroundings. She wished the Association success and expressed the hope that the lady members would soon equal the men in numbers.

Both Sir Cecil's and Lady Clementi's speeches were interpreted by the Hon. Dr. Kowall.

Mr. O. W. Luke, chairman, expressed the Association's thanks to Sir Cecil and Lady Clementi for their presence and also for consenting to perform the inaugural ceremony.

During the afternoon refreshments were served on the extended pier while an aquatic display was given by a number of the members. By kind permission of Major R. Todd, the band of the 15th Punjab Regiment played selections.

The Guests.

Among the guests invited were: The Hon. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Southorn, Mr. Justice and Mrs. J. R. Wood, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Creasy, the Hon. Sir H.E. and Lady Pollock, the Hon. Com. and Mrs. G. F. Hole, the Hon. Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Wellington, the Hon. Sir Shouson and Lady Chow, the Hon. Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Kowall, the Hon. Dr. and Mrs. S. W. To, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Braga, the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Lady Ho Tung, Major and Mrs. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Goldsmith, Mr. H. R. Butters, Mr. E. Ralphs, Mr. A. E. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Whyte-Smith, Mr. C. D. Melbourne, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Lewis, Mr. F. K. Ewart (representing the Royal Life Saving Society), Mr. G. A. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pegg, Mr. W. Woodward, Mr. C. W. E. Bishop, Mr. R. S. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. A. Morris, Mr. J. G. Clark, Mr. M. M. Mease, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. May, Mr. A. W. Smith, Mr. C. F. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hall, Miss P. Harston, Mr. and Mrs. Hinshing Lo.

The Pavilion.

The new pavilion is a semi-permanent structure 150 feet in length and 52 feet in breadth. The foundation consists of reinforced concrete pillars, carried on widely spread and reinforced concrete footings on the foreshore. The pillars finish at road level, where they are decked with hardwood joists and boards. The superstructure is formed of hardwood pillars with hardwood framing, filled with asbestos sheets and glazed fanlights. The roof is covered with Malthead.

The accommodation comprises ladies' and men's dressing rooms with showers and lavatory accommodation. A verandah 10 feet wide extends the full length of the building and has two bamboo pier extensions. A plentiful supply of fresh water is obtained from a nullah nearby, water being piped to tanks provided on the roof.

Messrs. Clarke and Lu were the architects.

U.S. BASEBALL.

LEAGUE RESULTS AND STANDINGS.

New York, June 27. Yesterday's baseball matches resulted as follows:

National League.			
	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	6	8	2
Pittsburgh	4	9	3
Brooklyn	2	5	0
New York	3	11	1
Philadelphia	0	11	1
Boston	0	5	2

(First game).

Philadelphia	5	14	0
Boston	2	8	1

(Second game).

American League.			
	R.	H.	E.
Boston	5	11	2
Philadelphia	6	8	3
Chicago	5	12	1
Detroit	3	9	2
New York	7	15	0
Washington	0	7	1

(First game).

New York	3	9	0
Washington	4	7	2

(Second game).

Cleveland	2	7	0
St. Louis	6	11	0

The League standings are now as under:

National League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	37	23	.616
Chicago	35	23	.603
St. Louis	35	26	.580
New York	35	27	.564
Brooklyn	27	35	.435
Philadelphia	27	36	.428
Boston	26	38	.406
Cincinnati	22	37	.372

American League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	47	15	.758
New York	36	25	.590
St. Louis	37	26	.587
Detroit	36	31	.537
Cleveland	29	32	.467
Washington	25	34	.423
Chicago	23	42	.353
Boston	19	47	.287

A HARROW STORM.

PROTEST AGAINST ORNAMENTS AT THE SCHOOL.

Harrow, June 3. Outspoken criticism has been provoked at Harrow School concerning a pair of ornamental stone vases which have been placed on the centre pillars at the head of the new steps and terrace leading up to the School Bill Yard. A critic, writing in the "Harrowian," describes the effect as "bathos," and states that "the two atrocities surmounting the pillars are either funeral urns or soup tureens with artichokes on the top of them."

"Our leading statesmen," the writer continues, "have asked us to preserve the beauty of our country. Do we wish to be guilty of insubordination to his Majesty's Government? My answer is, No! take away that bathos!"

Another critic declares that "the dignity of the new approach to the Hill Tea House from the School Yard has been suddenly blighted by someone placing a pair of pots on the pillars at the head of the steps."

Major-General Shelley London, an Old Harrovian, has presented to Harrow School Library, an engraving of Byron after the miniature by Holmes.

SPANISH AIRMEN'S RESCUE.

CAPITAL WILD IN ITS ENTHUSIASM.

HUGE DEMONSTRATION.

Madrid, June 30. Amazing scenes of national rejoicing at the rescue of Major Franco and his colleagues of the "Numancia" flight have occurred all over Spain.

Every available British, French, Italian and Portuguese flag was to-day commingled for a monster demonstration, organised by the Spanish Aero Club, in which thousands of people participated.

The huge crowds besieged the four Embassies to express their appreciation of the assistance rendered in the search for the airmen, by means of uproarious applause.—Reuter.

Earlier messages stated:—H.M.S. Eagle's Find.

London, June 29. The Admiralty announces that the aircraft carrier, H.M.S. Eagle, has discovered the missing Spanish airmen, Major Franco and his companions, who are safe and well, and that their flying boat, the "Numancia," is very little damaged.

Later, the "H.M.S. Eagle" found the "Numancia" in Lat. 30.28 North, Long. 24.14 West (i.e. 200 miles or so S.E. of the Azores). The "Numancia" has been hoisted aboard H.M.S. Eagle, which is proceeding to Gibraltar. The "Numancia" has been missing since June 24.—Reuter.

Fuel Exhausted. London, June 29. A wireless message from the Eagle informed the Admiralty that Major Franco had met with excessive air disturbances after passing Cape St. Vincent at nine o'clock on the 21st inst. They were compelled to fly between two layers of clouds, completely shutting out the sky and the ocean. They were due at the Azores at 9 p.m. on the 22nd, but a strong north-easter caused them to pass the Azores in the dark and they found in the morning by the sun that they were south-west of the Azores.

They thereupon flew through the clouds and landed to economise their fuel. They then set their course for Fayal and took off, but strong head winds were encountered and they exhausted their petrol forty miles from Fayal, from where they drifted 100 miles to the southward to Santa Maria, where the Eagle spotted them.—Reuter.

Madrid, June 30. The rescue of the missing airmen was received, with tremendous relief and rejoicing. The news spread like wildfire. Shouts of "Long live England and the British airmen!" resounded in the streets. General Primo de Rivera rushed to his office almost in tears and the news was telegraphed all over the country and posted up outside public offices here within a few minutes of its receipt.

Bunting was delayed and everywhere demonstrators spontaneously formed processions to the British Embassy to convey their thanks to the Ambassador. On appearing on the balcony the Ambassador was given an ovation.

The jubilation increased towards evening despite the rain. Bands headed processions in all quarters of the city.

King Alfonso XIII, who is now in London, has wired that he called on King George to express his thanks and congratulations.—Reuter.

Going to Gibraltar.

London, June 30. H.M.S. Eagle, with the Spanish airmen, is due at Gibraltar on July 2.—Reuter.

It will be recalled that Major Franco, with his companions started in their former seaplane "Numancia" from the Los Alcazares seaplane station near Cartagena on Friday week on a flight to New York via Azores. They were reported on the Saturday to have reached the Azores; but this was later proved to be incorrect.



It's the little things that make some people go up in the air the quickest.

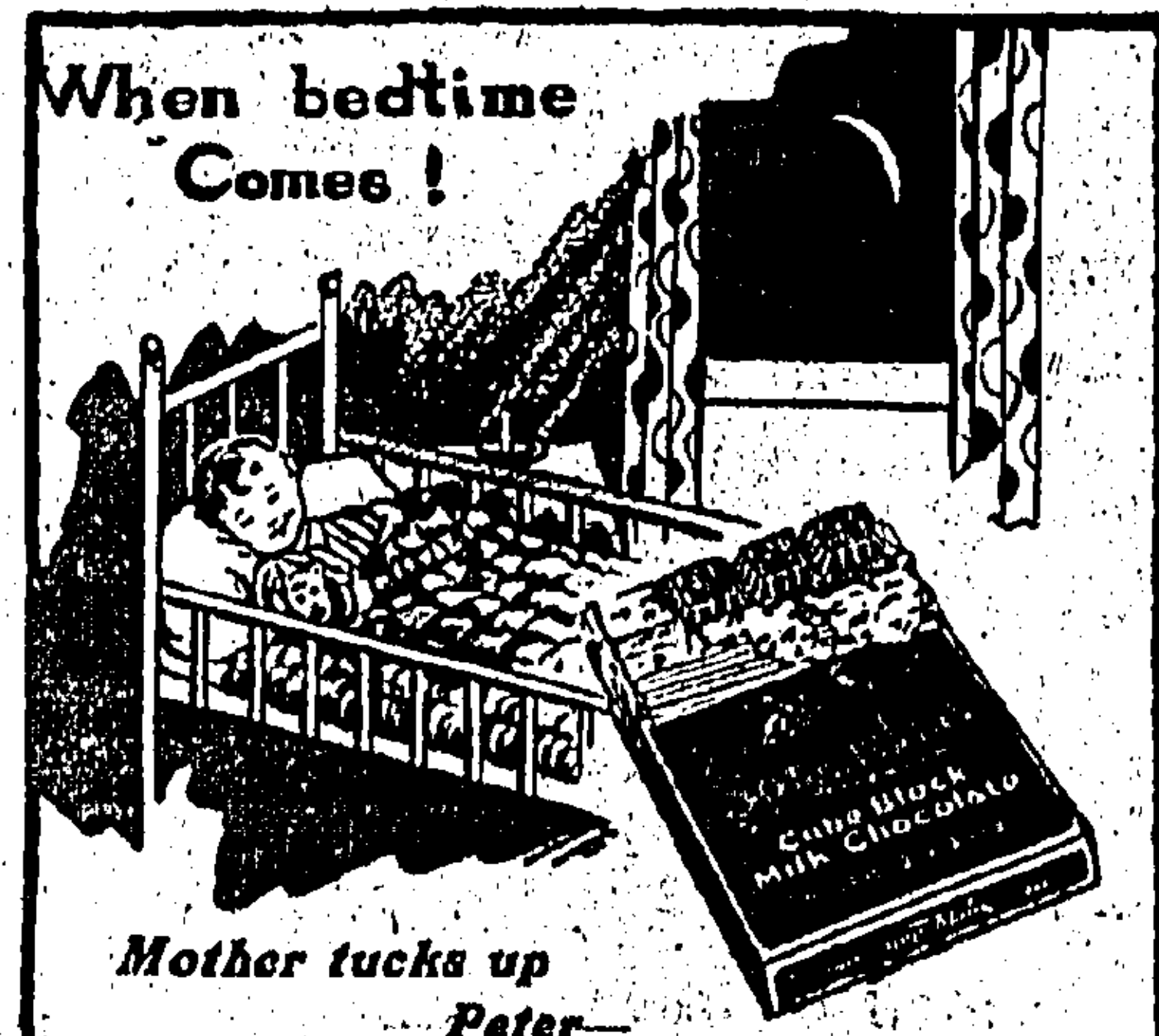
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CHAPTER XXIV

"Well, Nan!" John Curtis Morgan dropped to the couch beside the girl and stretched his long legs to the warmth of the fire in the grate. "Now that between us we've managed to get that young hellion of mine to bed, I'd like to have a first-hand account of how certain miracles have been wrought."

"I go away and 28 hours later I return to find my son not only entered in public school but crazy about it, and provided, not only with a boy playmate but with a whole delightful family to look after him. The O'Briens were a stroke of genius on your part, Nan. Suppose you take the stand and tell the whole story in your own words," he added, burlesquing his own manner in the courtroom.

Nan obeyed, giving her employer a vivid account of her activities in his home, as well as the reasoning which had motivated her. Morgan listened attentively, but his eyes were fixed, throughout her recital, upon the startling life-like portrait of his wife that hung above the mantel.

"I think you've been inspired in your handling of the boy," Morgan said, when Nan had finished her defence.

"Inspired by my love for you, which you don't even suspect, thank God!" Nan agreed in her heart. "I suppose you haven't yet had time to hire a housekeeper. Lord, but I dread having one of those middle-aged, genteel women in reduced circumstances pervading the house," Morgan sighed. "She will inevitably be stout, afflicted with varicose veins, hay fever and a wart on the side of her nose. And she'll have a dozen pesky little legal troubles that she'll want to consult me on every night I'm at home."

Nan giggled, thrust out both legs and regarded them with rueful humour. "And I was just flatter myself tonight that they're quite nice legs. And at six o'clock this evening, the last time I consulted a mirror, there was absolutely no hint of a wart on this insignificant but satisfactory nose of mine."

Morgan stared at the girl for a moment as if he thought she was crazy, then she saw dismay and embarrassment leap into his black eyes. She hastened to reassure him, indirectly: "Yes, I've hired myself as your housekeeper, if you please, sir, but a new sort—a long-distance housekeeper. I can furnish the best of references and I promise to become neither stout nor genteel, and not to pervade the house. In fact, your housekeeper's desk has a strange resemblance to your private secretary's."

"But—Nan! My dear girl!" Morgan remonstrated. Then he did something that completely unnerved the girl who was already trembling at her own audacity. He reached for her hand and lifted it to his lips. She closed her eyes so that he could not possibly see in them that which he must not guess.

"You should have been named Martha," he said gently, when he had released her hand, "because your joy is in service. She saw his eyes sweep upward to Iris pictured beauty, and she wondered if John Curtis Morgan was, for the first time, comparing or contrasting these two women who had been closest to him. He sighed, then said almost abruptly: "But of course I can't let you take on the burden of my house as well as of my office, Nan. Not even your splendid health and your enormous capacity for work could stand up under the strain."

"Bunk!" Nan retorted elegantly. "I intend to be a home efficiency expert, and whoever heard of an efficiency expert working? There isn't a great deal more to be done—just supervising, mainly. I've already made an appointment to take Curtis to Dr. Black, the child specialist, tomorrow."

Morgan was startled and alarmed. "Is the boy sick?"

"Not exactly sick, but malnourished," Nan explained, firmly. "I'm going to ask Dr. Black to prescribe a diet for Curtis, then exercise all the ingenuity I possess to keep the kid from knowing he's on a diet and to get him to eat it. Tonight's 'Hidden Treasure' was the first in that campaign. Curtis simply must eat lots of milk and green vegetables, and he refuses to touch either—until he dug into my famous 'Hidden Treasure' tonight. You'd never expected to see him eat spinach, had you?"

she challenged the thoughtful man beside her. "No, I'm afraid I—we let him dictate his own diet," Morgan admitted ruefully. Was there a hint of accusation in the glance he flashed at Iris's picture?

"I'm going to trick him into eating some of the things he thinks he doesn't like, and let Little Pat bully him into consuming the others. I'm counting heavily on Little Pat—for assistance in more ways than one," Nan told Curtis's father gravely. "But to get back to my job as long-distance housekeeper. Every Monday morning I'll furnish the cook with complete menus for the week. She'll do most of her marketing Monday, buying fresh vegetables, eggs, etc., during the week as they're needed. I might add that I took a thorough course in dietetics in college and that I'm no slouch as a cook, myself!"

"You're no slouch at anything, Nan, dear," Morgan laughed. "Go on! You're certainly a glutton for punishment, child!"

"Maybe I like showing off," Nan retorted. "Anyway, there are your meals taken care of; Curtis looked after by the O'Briens, mother and son, when he's not in school; and your house kept in apple-pie order by the efficient Estelle. Then what remains? Shopping for Curtis and for the house, of course, as equipment and linens wear out. Pooh! I can do it all in three or four hours a week, and you wouldn't catch a poor girl out of her fun, would you?"

"I'll agree to let you try it, on conditions," Morgan answered slowly. "First, that you let me pay you what I would have to pay a housekeeper; and second, that you take an afternoon a week off from the office and give Curtis and me the great pleasure of your company for dinner. Otherwise I'm afraid it's going to be a bit lonely for the Morgan men."

"Good! I can use a free dinner every Monday," Nan accepted flippantly, to hide her joy. "You can gamble that Monday's dinner will always be a feast. Now I'm going to pack my suitcase and toddle on home or you'll be accusing your housekeeper of 'pervading' the house."

"I'll take you home," said Morgan.

During the six months that followed, Nan Carroll lived from Monday to Monday, and all the words in the English language, the most important, the most musical, and the most heart-shaking became, so far as Nan Carroll was concerned, "I'll take you home."

For during each of those Monday night drives from the Morgan home to the tiny apartment which she also found time to keep immaculate, the girl played a pathetic little game with herself. She pretended that Morgan was not an abandoned and grief-stricken husband at all, but a young man entirely free to be in love; that he was in love, in fact, and that these Monday night drives were not a host's duty to his guest, secretary and housekeeper-of-sorts, but "dates."

And so, while the Nan that Morgan knew carried on an animated conversation about Curtis, domestic problems and legal tangles, the Nan that only Nan knew whispered soft, sweet nonsense with her mythical "steady." Week by week Nan found joy in measuring John Curtis Morgan's slow but definite recovery from the tragic depression into which Iris's desertion had plunged him on that dreadful Friday when he had received her cruelly curt letter. At first, she knew, he fostered a stubborn hope that Iris had decided hastily, that she would write and ask forgiveness, that she would return. But when, after three months of utter silence from his wife, he evidently made up his mind to accept her desertion as final, his sensitive face took on an expression of sad resignation. And after resignation came a sort of peace, for Nan was making him and his boy very comfortable indeed in the beautiful home which she was managing from his office.

Of course it was not so easy as she had pretended to Morgan that it would be. A hundred trivial annoyances and at least half a dozen major problems came up during those six months, requiring far more of her time and energy than Morgan dreamed that she spent upon his home affairs. She spared him here, as she had spared him the knowledge that his wife had run away with another man—a man whom he had called

BRITISH MATTERS.

SIR MILES LAMPSON'S CONFERENCES AT NANKING.

Shanghai, June 30. Sir Miles Lampson has arrived from Nanking where he has been discussing with Dr. C. T. Wang, the Foreign Minister, the question of the return of the Boxer indemnity, the rendition of Weihaiwei and the new Anglo-Chinese commercial treaty.

Sir Miles has requested further instructions from London regarding the first two issues. In the meanwhile he will go to Weihaiwei aboard H.M.S. Suffolk.

friend and whom he had saved from prison.

He would never know from her how nearly Curtis had come to disgrace in school for kicking a teacher until her shins bled. Neither would he know from her that Curtis had stolen money from Estelle to go on a candy orgy which left him so ill that candy had no appeal at all for the boy for weeks afterwards. From these and many other minor tragedies she protected the man she loved.

And every Monday night she saw that he was a little more at peace, a little more at ease with her and with his son, whose friendship and confidence he was cultivating, as if he were a little bit jealous of the boy's devotion to Nan.

In June Nan went to the state capital to take her bar examinations, for Morgan persisted in his desire to see his secretary become his junior partner.

On her return Willis Todd, with whom she was still having a courtship, met her at the station. It was nine o'clock of a soft June night.

"Are you a lawyer yet?" he teased, his grey eyes very fond and tender.

Nan squeezed his arm. "Oh, it's always nice to see you, Willis! Of course I'm not a lawyer yet. I won't hear from my exams for weeks and there's all sorts of red tape before I can be admitted to the bar. Whew! I'm tired! And I feel as if I'd been gone for weeks. I see they haven't built a new station yet! Doesn't anything ever happen in this town?"

"Wait!" Willis stopped her as she took a newspaper from the seat of his car. "I didn't want to tell you tonight, but you'll see it in the paper; the little Morgan kid was in an accident to-day—"

(To Be Continued.)

WIMBLEDON TENNIS.

H. W. AUSTIN ONE OF LAST EIGHT.

"Bunny" Austin, the former Cambridge captain, who has been playing some sensational tennis at Wimbledon, is the only Britisher remaining in the Men's Singles which has now been reduced to the last eight. He had a long duel with another Briton to qualify and it was not until the match had gone the full five sets that he eliminated Kingsley.

It was a real gala day for sport in London on Saturday, the star attractions being at Lords, where representatives of the Home Land are up against the South Africans, and at Wimbledon, where the tennis tournaments are going on. At the latter place the gallery was packed to capacity, with a programme set to decide the four men's matches and the four women's matches and the last eight of each of the Singles events. The weather was ideal but with a strong sun.

The latest results (Men's Singles (Fourth Round)).

Timmer (Holland) beat Nigel Sharpe (Britain) 5-1, 5-0, 5-0, 11-9.

"Bunny" Austin (Britain) beat C. H. Kingsley (Britain) 6-2, 4-6, 6-1, 4-0, 11-9.

Baron von Kohling (Hungary) beat J. S. Olliv (Britain) 6-7, 7-5, 6-4.

G. Lott (U.S.A.) beat Jan Kozeluh (Czechoslovakia) 6-4, 6-1, 6-4.

Women's Singles.

Joan Ridley (Britain) beat Fraulein Aussem (Germany) 5-6, 6-1.

Miss E. A. Goldsack (Britain) beat Mrs. Mitchell (Britain) 4-6, 7-5, 6-0.

Miss Tapscott (South Africa) beat Miss Chamberlain (Britain) 6-5, 6-4.

Men's Doubles.

J. C. Gregory and Collins (Britain) beat L. Raymond and Farquharson (South Africa) 1-6, 1-6, 8-6, 6-0, 6-0.

Third Round: W. T. Tilden and F. T. Hunter (U.S.A.) beat G. R. O. Crole Rees and Barnes (Britain) 6-1, 6-4, 6-4.

Women's Doubles.

Second Round: Miss Willis and Miss Cross (U.S.A.) beat Mrs. Malory and Miss De Smidt (U.S.A.).

Third Round: Miss Ryan and Miss Nuthall (Britain) beat Miss Colyer and Mrs. Hill 6-4, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles.

Second Round: J. Borotra and Miss Bouman (France) beat G. Lott and Miss Cross (U.S.A.) 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.

Reuter.

LETTER GOLF SOLUTION.

Here is the solution to the puzzle on another page. LONG, TONG, TONS, TOES, TIES, VIES, VIEW.



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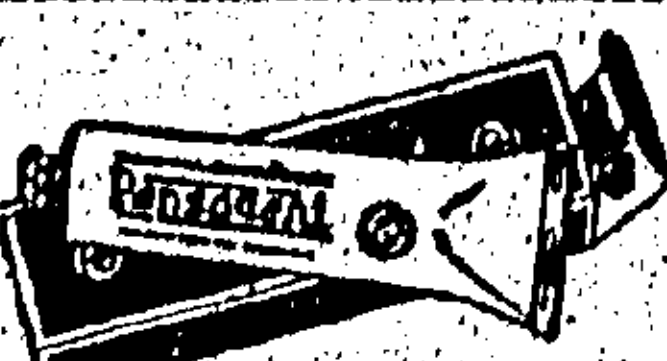
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 1.48 p.m. Weather Report.
 6.30-6.35 p.m. Programme of Chinese Music, (Records supplied through the courtesy of Messrs. Canton Trading Association).
 7.48 p.m. Evening Weather Report.
 8 p.m. Evening Programme, (Columbia Records supplied through the courtesy of Messrs. Anderson Music Co., Ltd.).
 "The Vagabond King," Selection.
 "Romeo and Juliet—Waltz Song," "Faust," (Gounod).
 Soprano, Gertrude Johnson.
 "The Belle of New York," Selection.
 The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.
 "Marriage of Figaro,"
 Bartolomeo, Mariano Stabile.
 "Petrouchka,"
 Igor Stravinsky and the Symphony Orchestra.
 "The Desert Song," Selection.
 Debroy Somers Band.
 "Prize Song,"
 "Sea Shanty,"
 Cello Solo, W. H. Squire.
 "A Musical Switch," Humoresque.
 "Lovers' Lane Minuet,"
 Pianz Theatre Orchestra.
 "Farewell to the Swan,"
 "Lohengrin's Narration,"
 Tenor, J. Rogatchewsky.
 "In a Chinese Temple Garden,"
 "In a Persian Market,"
 Organ Solo, Quentin M. MacLean.
 "Fidelio," Overture,
 Musique De La Garde Republiqueine.
 "O Vision Entrancing,"
 "Carmen—Flower Song,"
 "Castles in the Air," Selection.
 Modern Theatre Orchestra.
 "In this Hour of Softened Splendour,"
 "A Musical Jest,"
 The Sheffield Choir.
 "Nocturne" (Borodin).
 London String Quartet.
 "The Battle of Waterloo,"
 The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.
 10.30 p.m. Close down.

CATHOLIC SCOUTS.

TROOP FLAG BLESSED BY BISHOP VALTORIA.

An impressive ceremony was witnessed at the Roman Catholic Cathedral yesterday, when His Lordship Bishop Valtorta conferred a blessing on the troop flag of the Catholic Cathedral Boy Scouts.

The ceremony took place at the conclusion of the morning service, and was attended by a large section of the public, as well as by the Scouts.

In a short address prior to the blessing, the Rev. Father Parisotti told the Scouts that the ceremony of blessing a Scout flag was a most important one.

"In the army," he said, "the colours and standards of a regiment are its proudest possessions, and are sacred things. They are symbols of all that is noble, finest and highest in military service."

"In the Navy, the most sacred thing about the ship is the ensign that flies at the stern. It is a symbol of all the courage, loyalty and self-sacrifice imprisoned in that ship."

"Any boy who tries to carry out the Scout's promise is a perfect man," continued Father Parisotti. "When you take up scouting there is only one ambition you should have, and that is to be the best Scout."

At the conclusion of Father Parisotti's address, the Bishop, imposing in his full robes, and carrying his mitre, blessed the flag and received the Scout salute from the troop.

A FINE CONCERT.

K.O.S.B. BAND AT K.C.C. GROUND.

The fact that Mr. W. H. Fitz-Earle, A.R.C.M., bandmaster of the 2nd K.O.S.B., was the recipient of the cherished long service medal on Saturday, and consequently was in the mood to give of his best at the Kowloon Cricket Club Concert on Saturday night, may or may not have affected his conductorship. One thing is quite certain, however, and that is that Mr. Fitz-Earle, whose band is heard all too rarely by residents, gave the Club audience a musical treat, which was up to the expectations of the most optimistic.

The well arranged programme commenced with the "Spirit of Pageantry" March, and was followed by the difficult "William Tell" overture.

Rossini undoubtedly composed this most melodious opera primarily for the orchestra, and this Scottish band could satisfy even the composer, were he alive to hear them. From the soft and appealingly beautiful strains of the opening bars of "William Tell," the band swept to the stirring finale in a manner that showed how completely they had mastered the difficulties of the score.

Vocalists Appreciated.

But no one who sat in that huge audience on Saturday would allow their enthusiasm for the band to let them overlook the two very talented vocal artists, who lent variety to the programme.

Mr. Oscar Eager, looking appropriately miserable, like all good comedians, in a long black smock and a sorry looking red wig, roused a storm of applause with two popular comic songs, "Meet Me," and "Don't Be Cruel to a Vegetable."

He could have given several more numbers as far as the audience were concerned, for the shouts of "Core" were definite and prolonged, but the programme had to be carried through to time.

Mr. R. Mc Arthur Keown, an attractive baritone, scored with his rendering of "Friend O' Mine," and "All Joy Be Thine." Hongkong wishes to hear more of this excellent young singer.

A most popular item of the band concert was a musical switch, comprising most of the best known old tunes. "Turkish Patrol" followed "La Paloma," "Listen To The Band" and "Tommy Atkins" with a confusing, though delightful rapidity. To count the number of selections which Mr. Fitz-Earle crowded into this switch would be a task for a mathematician.

Sullivan Selections.

Lovers of the Gilbert and Sullivan operas, and they are many, were catered for to the extent of a long selection from these famous works.

In the Army, Gilbert and Sullivan operas have always been very popular, and judging from their performance on Saturday, Mr. Fitz-Earle's bandmen must have been called upon many times to render those works. It was a performance which would have satisfied the most exacting critic.

Too much praise cannot be given the officials of the K.C.C., who gave up their evening to attend to the comfort of the audience. The big lawns of the

COMMERCIAL RADIO.

EXTENSION OF THE HONGKONG FACILITIES.

Since its inauguration a few years ago the Hongkong Government commercial radio service has undergone considerable expansion and is steadily establishing itself as an essential convenience. There is an increasing volume of traffic daily and this will be promoted further by the extension of the service to cover Shanghai. Radio-telegrams for Shanghai will be accepted as from to-day. The rates for messages to Shanghai are the same as to Canton, viz., 20 cents per word for foreign code, and ten cents per word for plain Chinese.

The list of places with which the Hongkong radio is now in touch is a long one. Shanghai is not the furthest point, but is near it. Yunnanfu, we understand, holds the distinction. The Shanghai service will, however, open up the whole of North China to Hongkong messages, just as the Manila connexion brings within reach places on the other side of the world.

It will be observed that the rates to Canton and Shanghai are the same as the cable rates. Competition, while still keen, is less "cut-throat" since the recent Cable-Wireless merger at home.

The charges are, however, sufficiently low to encourage traffic and guarantee of successful transmission are better since the National Government at Nanking took control of the Chinese provincial stations. The Shanghai and Canton stations are both under Central Government operation, and both are up-to-date, efficient and manned by keen personnel.

Hongkong commercial radio has a bright future and within a few years will probably be developed to include facsimile transmission and long-distance telephony.

A revised list of local Government radio telegram charges to different parts of the world has been issued.

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club were covered with comfortable chairs, in which patrons could lean back and enjoy the programme to the full.

With the weather so favourable, it was impossible to imagine a more pleasant way of spending an evening, and it is most sincerely hoped that the K.C.C. will not delay in organising another function of this nature.

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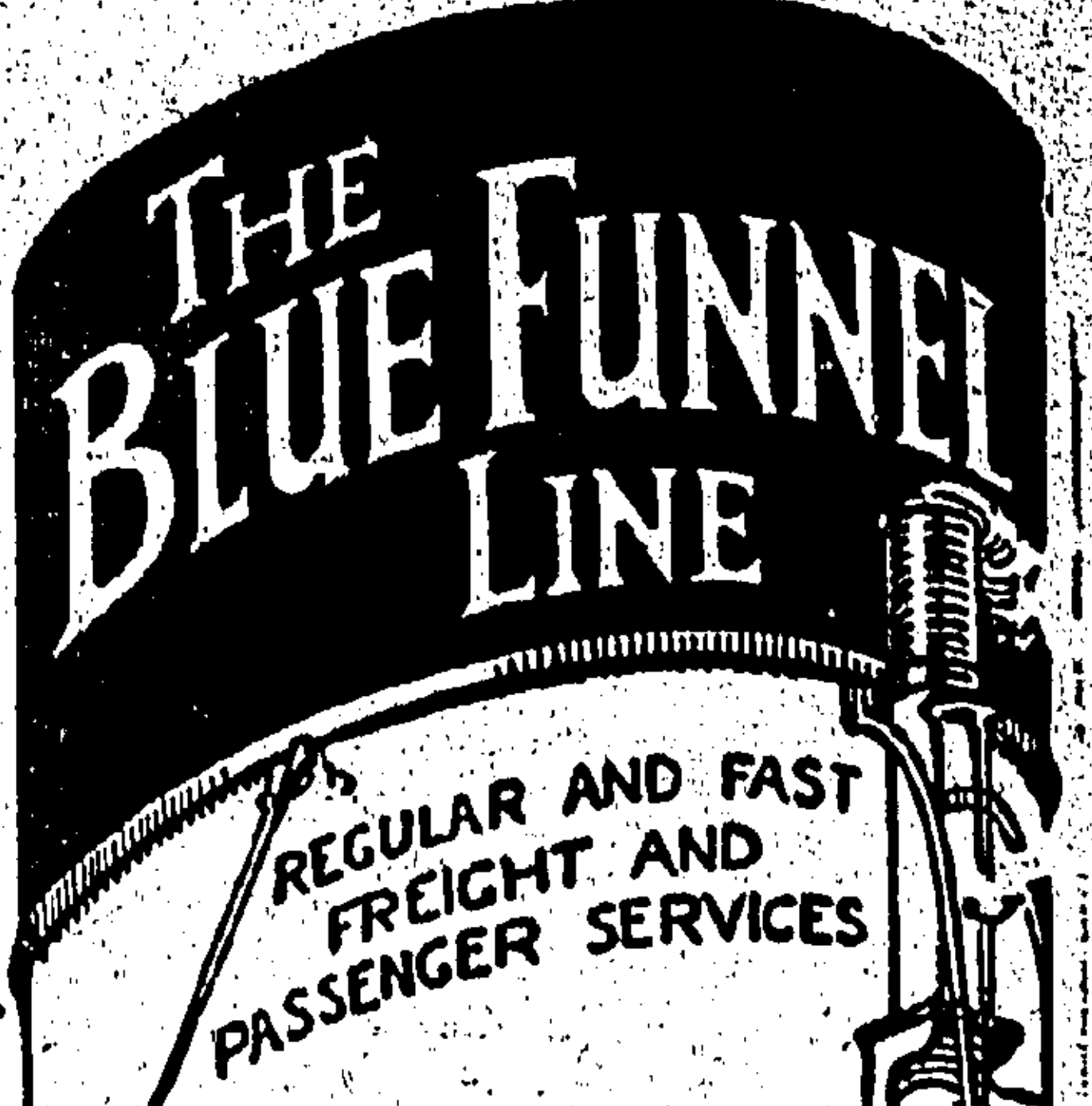
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THE WAR DEBTS.

GERMANY WANTS RHINELAND FREED.

Washington, June 29.
"Make a fresh effort to move the
United States. Put all your heart
into it," telegraphed M. Briand
(Minister for Foreign Affairs) to
Ambassador Claudel who, this
afternoon, discussed with Mr. H. L.
Stimson (State Secretary) the post-
poning of the payment of the War
Stocks' Debt in accordance with
yesterday's motion in the Paris
Chamber.

Mr. Stimson declares that he does
not see how it can be postponed
without the sanction of Congress,
now in recess.—*Reuter's American
Service.*

Inevitable Refusal.

Paris, June 29.
In the Finance Committee of the
Chamber, M. Poincaré read a tele-
gram from M. Claudel reporting
that Mr. Stimson had informed
him that the American Cabinet had
discussed the French request for the
unconditional postponement of the
war stocks payment.

The Cabinet was of the opinion
that the President of the United
States was not empowered con-
stitutionally to act alone in the
matter without reference to Con-
gress.

A special convocation of Congress
was not practicable but anyhow the
recent attitude of Congress offered
no hope of compliance with the
French desire.

Mr. Stimson said that he realised
the disturbed condition of French
opinion on the subject, but Ameri-
cans were strongly of the opinion
that the United States had behaved
in a most friendly manner toward
France by consenting to the Mellon-
Berenger agreement wiping out
France's War Debts.

The American refusal did not
surprise the Deputies who re-
cognised that it was inevitable.—*Reuter.*

Senator Borah's View.

Washington, June 29.
A blunt retort has been made by
Senator Borah (Chairman of the
Foreign Affairs Committee of the
U.S. Senate) to M. Franklin
Bouillon's speech in the French
Chamber, in which the latter re-
ferred to the "United States of
America pushing France into
ratification of the debt settlement
and France's inability to appeal
to the justice of the world, if the
U.S.A. does not recognise justice."

Senator Borah points out that
it is three years since the settle-
ment was made and over a decade
since it was due. Moreover, he
said, France's debts to the U.S.A.
were settled for about ten shil-
lings in the pound.

He also declared that France is
the most prosperous nation in
Europe and has no unemployment.
"She is evidently not fighting for
time or justice," he continued, "as
she has had both. There must be
something else."—*Reuter's American
Service.*

Industrialists' Demand.

Munich, June 29.
The Executive Committee of the
League of German Industrialists
after discussing the Young plan
passed a resolution declaring the
plan feasible only if the Rhineland
were evacuated immediately and un-
conditionally, German sovereignty
in the Saar re-established speedily
and unrestrictedly, and all mea-
sures for the confiscation and
liquidation of German properties,
rights and interests immediately
annulled.—*Reuter.*

Greek Government To Protest.

Athens, June 30.
The Greek Government will
protest to the Reparations Com-
mittee against Mr. Owen Young's
plan.—*Reuter.*

WORK AND PEACE.

MR. MACDONALD SPEAKS ON LABOUR IDEALS.

London, June 29.

Work to our people and peace to
the world are Labour's immediate
ideals, declared Mr. Ramsay Mac-
donald at a Co-operative banquet
in London. In speaking of un-
employment he said that it must
be scientifically studied and re-
moved by a great and continuous
programme.

He referred to the enthusiasm
with which Mr. J. H. Thomas, as
Minister entrusted with the prob-
lem, was attacking the initial
stages of his task.

As regards World Peace Mr.
Macdonald said:

"Another big section of our
work is international peace.
Right up to the moment that I left
Downing Street to come here I was
engaged in trying to lay the founda-
tions of what will be the finest,
and fairest fabric that any govern-
ment has ever built for the delight,
honour and comfort of Labour for
which it is responsible.

"We are wasting no time but
we are not going into peace con-
ferences without such a pre-
liminary preparation as will avoid
the failure that attended the con-
ference of 1927. There must be
preparation before there is
demonstration and we are not
going to demonstrate before we
have something to demonstrate
about."

"This further I want to say. A
peace-maker has to take risks as
well as a war-maker. When we
have accomplished our work we
are going to give you the balance
of choice. There are risks of
peace as there are risks of war.
I am banking upon risks of peace
and if the nation is to take any
risks at all we are going to ask
it to take the risk of peace rather
than the risk of war. The nation
that will take the risk of peace
will get peace just as in the past
the nation that took the risk of
war got war."

Mr. Macdonald asked the coun-
try to give the Labour Government
its confidence while it was
struggling with the wild beasts of
Ephesus.—*Reuter.*

Proposed Conference.

Washington, June 30.
Mr. Stimson, the Secretary of
State, has disclosed that he had
been approached regarding the
possibility of an immediate Five-
Power Conference on naval arma-
ment. He denied, however, the
report that he had unqualifiedly
approved the idea.—*Reuter's American
Service.*

Building Programme.

Washington, June 30.
Contracts for the construction
of the first two of the 16 light
cruisers authorised by Congress
have been awarded to the Puget
Sound Navy Yard, which sent the
lowest navy yard tender—\$38-
838,000.

Other bids were sent by the
Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corpora-
tion. The lowest private yard
tender was \$310,763,000. The
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delivery within 30 months, and
the Puget Sound Navy Yard with-
in 40 months.

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long, and will carry main batteries
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Tuesdays and Fridays between the
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Goods have left the steamer's Godown,
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FLYING TRAGEDY.

ROMANCE IN AMERICAN ENDURANCE RIVALRY.

New York, June 29.

The crash of Miss Viola Gentry
in the competitive attempt on the
endurance flight record is rendered
additionally poignant.

On June 26, Mr. and Mrs. Martin
Jensen, with a Danish pilot named
William Ulbrich, started from
Roosevelt Field. Both Miss Gen-
try and those on the "rival" plane
were determined to break the
world's flying endurance record
(with refuelling from other
machines in the air, during the
flight).

On June 28 Miss Gentry's plane
crashed and she was seriously
injured, while her pilot, Jack
Ashcraft, was killed.

It now transpires that Miss
Gentry is romantically attached to
William Ulbrich, the pilot of the
rival machine.

Lying in the wreckage of her
plane, Miss Gentry was semi-
conscious and hysterical. She re-
peatedly called for "Bill"
(Ulbrich). The latter was mean-
while flying above the clouds. He
learned of Miss Gentry's disaster by
wireless telephone and frantically
appealed from the sky for full
details from the aerodrome
officials.

The officials eventually placed a
microphone at Miss Gentry's bed-
side to enable her to speak—per-
haps for the last time—with
Ulbrich, who is still flying and not
yet aware of the critical injuries
sustained by her.—*Reuter's American
Service.*

French Mishap.

Rheims, June 29.
Whilst two military aeroplanes
were refuelling in mid-air, the
lead pipe fouled the tail of one of
the machines.

Both spun to earth. One righted
itself near the ground, but the
other was wrecked and two air-
men killed.—*Reuter.*

Swiss Disaster.

Lindau, June 30.
As a machine belonging to the
Air Lloyd Company was about to
alight on Lake Constance an ex-
plosion was heard and the ma-
chine crashed. It sank in a few
minutes. Three passengers and
two pilots were drowned. The
two remaining passengers were
seriously injured.—*Reuter.*

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TALAMBA	8,018	10th July.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
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**AMERICAN REPLY
TO CHINA.**

EXTRALITY NOTE LIKELY
TO BE DELAYED.

NOW BEING DRAFTED.

Washington, June 23.
Indications here to-day were
that the United States note to
China on the subject of extra-
territoriality might possibly be
delayed considerably longer,
although work on the draft is con-
tinuing.

President Hoover and Colonel
Henry L. Stimson, the Secretary of
State, are taking great personal
interest in this note because of
their work in the Far East.

This fact, it is believed, will pro-
bably result in the President's
giving more than usual attention
to the forthcoming statement of
policy.

Best information now available
indicates that the United States
policy in China, particularly with
reference to extraterritoriality, is
not expected to depart in impor-
tant respects from the policy
enunciated by Mr. Frank B. Kel-
logg, former Secretary of the State
Department.

While the Administration looks
with the greatest sympathy upon
the achievements and aspirations
of the National Government, it is
thought improbable that with re-
ference to extraterritoriality the
United States will at this time
make any startling move, prefer-
ring to allow events to proceed
for a period and continuing the
traditional policy of friendly co-
operation with China rather than
pushing toward any immediate
change of the status quo.

**CANTON AMATEUR
THEATRICALS.**

SOCIETY HOLDS ANNUAL
MEETING.

Canton, June 29.
The annual general meeting of
the Canton Amateur Theatrical
Society was held last evening in
the Canton Club.

Mr. U. Spallinger, the Honorary
President, stated that the Society
had been reconstituted in June
last year after a lapse of three
seasons. Since re-commencing,
thirty-three new members had
been enrolled.

The Committee apologised for
not having arranged to hold the
annual general meeting in April,
as provided for in the Constitution.
This delay was caused by an
attempt to produce a vaudeville
show last month, but unfortunately,
owing to divers reasons, this
show was never staged. Notwith-
standing this failure, the past
season had been decidedly success-
ful. The production in December
of "A Pair of Silk Stockings" was
received with enthusiasm by the
audience and was a distinct success
financially. "The Unfair Sex,"
produced in March, was also very
well received, and was generally
considered to rank among the best
of the Society's productions.

The financial situation of the
Society during the past season
was entirely satisfactory. Al-
though the expenditure slightly
exceeded the income, this was due
to important repairs and renova-
tions of the Society's properties,
repairs and renovations which
would not have to be made again
for some considerable time, provid-
ed the property was properly look-
ed after in the future.

The following were elected to
serve on the Committee for the
season 1929/1930:—Mr. G. S.
Moss, C.B.E., Honorary President,
and Messrs G. M. D. Wolf, W. B.
Farmer, A. Hoffmeister and J. J.
Meere.

Mr. Ferrier suggested that the
incoming Committee should con-
sider the preparation and produc-
tion of a play on November 11th
next (Armistice Day), the profits
of which should be devoted to
Earl Haig's British Legion Appeal
Fund.—Our Own Correspondent.

STAMP ROMANCE.

FIND IN SCHOOLBOY
COLLECTION.

The romance of a stamp bought
by the King was related by Mr.
Charles J. Phillips, founder of the
Birmingham Philatelic Society, at
the sixteenth philatelic congress of
Great Britain which opened at
Birmingham.

"Fifteen years ago," he said, "an
old gentleman living at Hamp-
stead, who was looking over books
in his library, found his schoolboy
stamp collection, and put it on one
side to give to his grandson.

"A friend who saw the collection
advised that it should be examined,
and it was submitted to a well-
known, firm of stamp auctioneers,
who reported that one stamp was
very valuable. This gem of the
collection was a Mauritius Post
Office twopenny stamp, deep blue,
unused.

"It was bought for the King
for £1,450.

**MANIPULATION IN
NORTH CHINA.**

WHAT ARE FENG AND
YEN DOING?

FENG TO BE RESTORED TO
KUOMINTANG?

THE PEKING CONCLAVE

Peking, June 30.

Though the nature and results
of the conference at the Hotel de
Pekin between Marshal Chiang
Kai-shek, and Marshal Yen Hai-
shan, representing the "Chris-
tian" General and his own in-
terests, have not been officially
divulged, it is learned from a
reliable source that Yen Hai-shan
laid down certain terms, which in-
clude the cancellation of orders
for the arrest of Feng Yu-hsiang
and for his dismissal from the
Kuomintang Party.

Yen Hai-shan is also reported to
have demanded that Chiang Kai-
shek restore to Feng Yu-hsiang,
the various appointments he held
with the Central Government, and
invite Feng to attend a conference
at Nanking.

Yen's Position.

The Shanai leader, it is stated,
also expressed his firm belief in the
necessity for Feng Yu-hsiang and
himself simultaneously retiring
from the Central Government,
leaving Chiang Kai-shek a clear
field in the direction of military
affairs.

It is still regarded as extremely
doubtful that Yen and Feng really
intend to leave China.

Later.
It is understood that Marshal
Yen Hai-shan is leaving for Tai-
yuanfu sometime this evening or
early to-morrow. A report now in
circulation says that at the
instigation of Chiang Kai-shek,
Messrs Chao Tai-wen, (Minister of
Interior) H. H. Kung, (Minister of
Industry, Commerce and Labour)
and Wu Tze-hui are to issue a
joint cable, requesting the Central
Government to reconsider the order
for the arrest of the "Christian"
General and at the same time to re-
store his position in the Kuomint-
tang Party.

Kuomintang Demands.

A Talyuanfu message says that
Marshal Feng Yu-hsiang will not
leave Shanai for Tientsin until he
receives \$3,000,000, which he de-
mands from Chiang Kai-shek to
pay the arrears of the Kuomintang
Army.

Yen Set on Going.

Peking, June 29.
General Yen Hai-shan is expect-
ed to arrive here from Shanai on
Sunday morning and he may see
Marshal Chiang Kai-shek before
going to Tientsin to rejoin Feng
Yu-hsiang.

Feng Yu-hsiang is also coming
northward by the Peking-Hankow
Railway but he is not coming quite
as far as Peking. From a point a
little to the south of Peking, he
will branch off from the Peking-
Hankow Railway on the loop line
which skirts the south of Peking
and goes to Fengtai. Presumably
he will go to Tientsin where he can
get a steamer for Japan.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek's dele-
gates, Mr. H. H. Kung (Minister
for Industry), Mr. Wu Tze-hui
and Mr. Chao Tai-wen, apparently
failed to persuade Yen Hai-shan
to remain in China.—*Reuter.*

Yen at Peking.

Peking, June 30.
Yen Hai-shan arrived at 8.15 this
morning.

His arrival was in the nature of
a personal triumph. A special
guard of honour with two bands
met the Shanai leader, in addition
to every important local official and
the entire body of the provincial
Government. Those present included
Ho Cheng-chun, who apologised for
Chiang Kai-shek's absence.—*Reuter.*

Yen to Go Abroad.

Peking, June 30.
Telephonic advice of Yen Hai-
shan's arrival was the signal for
Chiang Kai-shek's hurried return
to Peking from the country. On
arrival he telephoned Yen Hai-
shan inviting him to the Peking
Hotel where the two remained
cloistered alone for two hours.

The matters discussed and the
results thereof remain a closely
guarded secret but it is stated
officially that Yen Hai-shan is
soon returning to Talyuan to
complete his preparations for his
departure, whereafter he and
Feng Yu-hsiang will leave to-
gether for a trip abroad.—*Reuter.*

£3,000 has been voted by the
B.P.C.K. for building improve-
ments at St. Katharine's Training
College for School-mistresses, Tot-
tenham.

**WOOSUNG PIRATES
ACTIVE.**

LEADER OF CUT-THROATS
IMPOSING TAX.

PROTECTION PROMISE.

Shanghai, June 25.

Despite the fact that relentless
action is being taken by the Chinese
authorities to suppress them, the
pirates around Woosung are as bold
as ever, and the crews of junks,
sampans, etc., are in a state of con-
stant fear.

A gang of about 1,000 cut-throats
under the leadership of one Pan
Ching-yung, who was formerly an
officer of the Salt Smuggling Pre-
vention Corps and an army officer
under Marshal Sun Chuan-fang, are
making it so hot that it is extreme-
ly unsafe for small craft to ply
about the mouth of the Yangtze.
Boats calling at Woosung and the
neighbouring districts and the is-
lands are made the prey of the
gang, who are imposing a charge
of \$70 each for "protection" and a
safeguard against further molesta-
tion.

Many boats and junks arriving
at Woosung, therefore, are seen
carrying red flags which have been
given to them by the pirates. In
the event of attacks by pirate boats,
they have only to wave these flags
and they will be accorded protec-
tion.

In this connexion, it is of inter-
est to note that a gang of bandits,
about 600 strong, are making their
presence felt at Bankiao and Tsu-
poo, on the Yangtze, about 150 li
from Shanghai. This gang is under
the leadership of Sung Li-sz and
Seng Hai-sai, two notorious criminals,
and it consists mostly of dis-
banded troops. So far, no action
has been taken by the local author-
ities to suppress them.

**ANGRY STUDENTS
ARRESTED.**

(Continued from Page 1.)

a nasty humour when the police
from Bubbling Well Road Station
arrived.

Two Ringleaders.

Again the crowd scattered but
two of the ringleaders were ar-
rested and taken to the police station.
One of these men claimed to be a
native from Honan and stated
that he was a newspaper corres-
pondent for a paper in one of the
cities of that province. The
second man said he was an artist
and hailed from Szechuan.

Both claimed to be members of
the Artists' Club situated on
Avenue Joffre and volunteered the
information that the students par-
ticipating in the afternoon's de-
monstration had been former mem-
bers of the school on 79 Sinza
Road, sealed by the Provisional
Court some time last month.

The reason for the demonstra-
tion was said to be a desire on the
part of the students to have the
school re-opened.

Feng Favoured.

It is understood that behind
the whole of yesterday's demon-
strations was bitterness against
the Kuomintang. An additional
reason is stated to be a feeling in
favour of General Feng Yu-
hsiang.

The demonstration in the Pootoo
Road District was centred around
the Dah Loh University which had
also been sealed by order of the
Provisional Court. The students
responsible for the demonstration
broke the seals on the doors and
generally made themselves a
nuisance until compelled to dis-
perse. Four of the ringleaders
were arrested and lodged in the
Pootoo Road Station.

ALARMING ACCIDENT.

EUROPEAN THROWN OUT
OF RICKSHA.

A rather alarming accident oc-
curred near the Peninsula Hotel,
Nathan Road, Kowloon, on Sat-
urday morning as a result of which
a European coolie is in hospital whilst
a European had a narrow escape
from serious injury.

We learn that Mr. A. C. Bur-
ford, resident in Cox's Path, was
the passenger in the ricksha which
was proceeding down Nathan Road
towards the Star Ferry. When
turning the corner at the Peninsula
Hotel a motor car, driven by a
Chinese owner, came up from be-
hind and struck the ricksha with
such violence that the coolie was
thrown completely over the bonnet
of the car to the other side of the
road. He came down heavily and
sustained, among other injuries, a
fractured leg.

Mr. Burford was thrown out of
the ricksha and landed on his head
but fortunately he was wearing his
topos at the time and this undoubt-
edly saved him from serious injury.
As it was he was badly shaken and
suffered from bruises of the right
arm.

The coolie was picked up by other
ricksha coolies in the vicinity and
taken to hospital. The ricksha it-
self was badly smashed.

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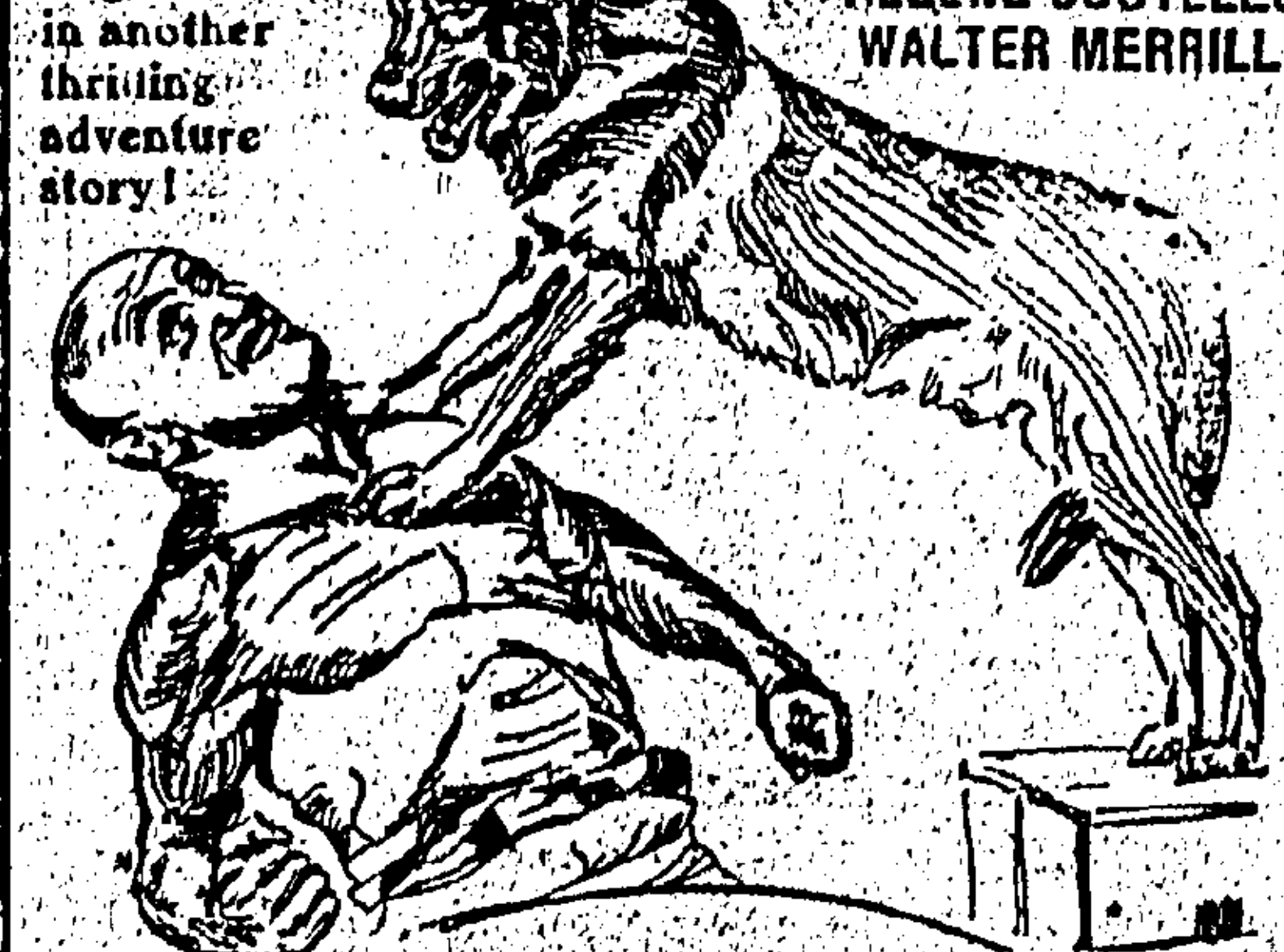


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